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# PORTLAND SEED CO'S

1905-1906

CATALOGUE OF

• SHADE AND ORNAMENTAL TREES •  
• SHRUBS • ROSES • VINES • ETC •



• FRUIT TREES • BUSHES AND PLANTS  
**Portland Seed Co.**  
SALESROOM & TREE YARD  
COR FRONT & YAMHILL STS  
**Portland, Ore.**



# ARE YOU PROUD OF YOUR LAWN?

If Not Reseed it with Portland Seed Co.'s "Diamond Brand"

## FANCY LAWN GRASS SEED

More fine lawns in the Northwest have been made from our mixtures than from any other. We use only the choicest, re-cleaned, heavy grass seeds. This mixture of ours will produce a fine, thick velvety lawn in a few weeks time if you prepare the ground properly, and sow the seed thickly. Don't buy cheap seed. It only means a poor lawn. Sow our seed at the rate of one to one and one-half pounds to 20-feet square; 10 to 15 pounds to the average city lot. Price: Per pound, 25c; postpaid, 35c; by express at buyer's expense, 10 pounds, \$2.25.

### Fertilizer For the Lawn and Other Purposes

To keep the lawn in condition it is necessary that it should be fed well by frequent and liberal applications of a fertilizer rich in the elements of plant food. Such is found in our "Diamond Brand" Odorless Lawn Fertilizer. A richer, deeper, darker and in every way finer lawn can be secured by the use of our Lawn Fertilizer than by the best barnyard manure, and in using it you run no risk of introducing weed seeds, which, when once established in a lawn, you will find impossible to get rid of. If your lawn is made, the best results will be secured by scattering this fertilizer over the grass at the rate of 50 pounds to a lot 50x100. In making a new lawn, use larger quantities and rake the fertilizer in the top soil. While you are ordering, we advise you to get more than you will need for your lawn so as to have some to put around the plants and shrubs, where it will do a vast amount of good. This fertilizer can be applied most any time during the year. It is best to use it just before a shower. If the soil is poor, two or three applications during the year will be found beneficial. **Note—This fertilizer is very strong, and you must spread it thinly over new grass or you will burn it.**

Price: 25 lbs., \$1.00; 50 lbs., \$1.50; 100 lbs., \$2.50.

**DON'T FORGET**—We are the largest dealers and carry the most complete stock of Fertilizing Materials in the Northwest. Our Booklet—How, When, and Why You Should Use Fertilizer, free on request.

### Spray Pumps, Spray Material and Washes

We have Spray Pumps of every size, from the small hand sprayers to the large power pumps. Our stock of Sprays and Insecticides is complete and up to date, but space in this catalogue will not permit us to describe them, so if you are interested, write for complete catalogue of Spray Pumps, Sprays, etc., sent free. We also carry a full line of Garden and Spray Hose and supplies.

### Pruning Tools, Labels, Stakes, Etc.

If you want full descriptions and illustrations of following supplies, send for our complete catalogue.

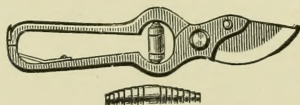
#### LONG HANDLE TREE PRUNERS.—

6 feet, 75c; 8 feet, \$1.00; 10 feet, \$1.10; 12 feet, \$1.25.

Can not go by mail. Purchaser will have to pay freight or express charges.

#### PRUNING SHEARS.—

No. 23—7-inch, cuts  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch; postpaid, \$0.75  
No. 24—Cuts  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch; postpaid ..... 1.00



No. 30.

No. 30—9-inch California pattern; German make; black finish; polished, 75c; postage, 15c

No. 40—9-inch; same pattern as No. 30; bright finish; polished blade; spiral steel spring; made for hard service \$1.00; postage, 15c

No. 4773—9-inch Reiser pattern; full polish, with double brass springs.. \$1.40; postage, 15c

No. 14—Good; low price .50c; postage, 15c

No. 12—Similar to 14, but with steel spring .....55c; postage, 15c

No. 50—Ladies' nickel-plated 6-inch shears, like No. 30.....75c; postage, 10c

#### BRANCH SHEARS.—

26-inch handle, \$1.00; 41-inch handle, \$1.25.

#### PRUNING KNIVES.—

We have a good assortment of these, ranging in price from 50c to \$1.50. If out-of-town customers will tell us about what they want, we can give them good value for money sent.

#### BUDDING KNIVES.—

No. 13—M. & G. Budding .....\$0.25

No. 6—M. & G. Grafting ..... .35

No. 10—I X L Budding; ivory opener .....\$1.00

No. 12—Budding; gutta percha opener.. .80

#### GRAFTING WAX.—

Price,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25c; 1 lb., 35c; postage, 20c per lb.

#### TREE LABELS.—

Painted, wired, per M .....\$1.00

#### POT LABELS.—

Painted, 4-in., per M .....85c; 6-in., 95c

#### PLANT STAKES.—

Nice, round, cedar stakes for roses and shrubs, painted green, with white top; per dozen, 3 ft., 75c;  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft., 80c; 4 ft., 85c; 5 ft., \$1.35; 6 ft., \$2.00.

#### BAMBOO STAKES.—

Price, 4 ft., 20c dozen; 5 ft., 25c; 6 ft., 30c.

**RED CLAY FLOWER POTS.**—We buy them by the carload and sell them at the right prices. Florists' and nurserymen's trade especially solicited. Prices on request.



# Portland Seed Co.'s

1905



1906

## DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUE

OF

No. 50

## Nursery Stocks

No. 50

### TO OUR FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS:

Last season our trade on Nursery Stock was larger and more satisfactory than ever, and we wish, at this time, to again thank all who favored us with their orders. We have, during the past year, received many letters of praise and thanks for the quality of our stock, method of packing and way of doing business. We certainly appreciate these letters, and you will find brief extracts from them scattered through this catalog.

This year we are in better position than ever to serve our regular customers, and anyone desirous of obtaining strictly first-class stock, as our facilities are better and we have more experienced and reliable help with which to begin this season's work. Even in the best regulated nurseries and packing yards errors will occur occasionally, and should we make any this year, or if our stocks are not right, we trust you will notify us so that we can adjust all matters satisfactorily to you, and improve our methods.

No doubt some of our customers will want stocks not found in this catalog, as space will not permit us to list everything in this line, but we will gladly look up and buy, if possible, any stocks you may want.

### OUR ROSES.—

We take great pride in the quality and size of the rose bushes we offer. Our two-year-old, field-grown roses are very superior, being well branched, 18 to 30 inches high and well rooted. We do not try to list every variety grown, as there are hundreds of roses that are not worth the room they take in the garden. We add the new "introductions" as soon as we find they are of real merit. If you wish some particular rose not listed by us, order it along with others and we will get it for you, if obtainable. Our list is selected with the greatest care after many field trials and tests, and comprises what we believe to be the best varieties for general planting. They are the varieties that do well here and produce an abundance of choice, fragrant and handsome roses.

### OUR FRUIT AND ORNAMENTAL STOCKS.—

We have selected our stocks of fruit, shade and ornamental trees and plants with the greatest care, and they will be found to be strong, healthy, well-rooted and adapted to this coast. We comply strictly with the State Horticultural Law, and have our stock carefully inspected before shipping. You will find it perfectly free from disease, bugs and pests. All except our imported ornamental stock is grown in and about Portland and taken from the ground just as needed to fill orders. This insures the greatest success in transplanting. You will not be disappointed if you place your orders with us. (See letters below.)

### WHEN TO ORDER.

We advise our customers to order their trees, shrubs and plants as early as possible. Should your trees arrive a little too early, dig a trench and hill them in, covering the roots well. They will keep this way for weeks without harm. Send us your orders without delay, and we will reserve stock for you and ship at any date you wish. By doing this, you are sure of getting stock, and we can give you larger and better trees.

### LABELLED AND PACKED FREE.

All trees, plants and roots are carefully labeled and packed in the best manner, so that they will reach their destination in good shape.

### SHIPPING.

Give plain and explicit shipping directions. When not given, we forward according to our best judgment, but in no case do we assume any responsibility after the delivery of stock in good condition to the forwarder. We do not pay freight or express charges. If your station is a **prepay station**, be sure you send money for freight charges; otherwise the goods will be held. **No goods sent C. O. D.**

### SHALL WE SUBSTITUTE?

If the varieties of the fruit ordered can not be supplied, others equally as good and ripening about the same season, will be substituted, unless otherwise ordered.

### PLEASED CUSTOMERS OUR BEST ADVERTISEMENTS.

#### From Cuba.

Portland Seed Co.

Gentlemen: My order of trees and bushes arrived last Monday in fine shape. You certainly know how to pack nursery stock.

Thanking you kindly for careful attention, I am,

Yours truly,

E. A. FREED, Santa Fe, Cuba.

#### From Oregon.

Portland Seed Co.

Gentlemen: I received the balance of the trees and roses. They were in excellent condition. That makes the entire order filled in good shape. I am very much pleased.

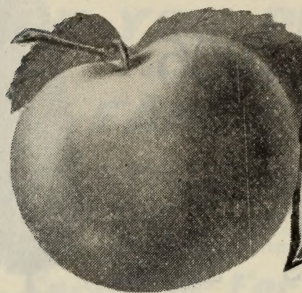
Your truly,

MRS. E. E. ELROD, Ione, Or.

WILL YOU LET US TRY TO PLEASE YOU?



## FRUIT TREES.



# APPLES

	Each.	Per 10.	Per 100.
2-year-old .....	\$0.25	\$2.00	\$18.00
1-year-old, 4 to 6 feet .....	.20	1.75	15.00
Select, 2 to 3 yrs. old .....	.35		

## SUMMER VARIETIES.

**DUCHESS OF OLDENBURG.**—

Large, yellow streaked with red; tree vigorous and very productive; juicy, with rich sub-acid flavor; excellent in this valley on account of its dense foliage.

**EARLY HARVEST.**—

Medium size; bright straw color; tender and fine; good for table and cooking.

**GOLDEN SWEET.**—

Large, pale yellow, tender and rich; good for cooking and market.

**RED ASTRACHAN.**—

Large, deep crimson, flesh white, moderately

juicy, with an agreeable rich acid flavor; very productive.

**RED JUNE.**—

Medium, oblong, deep red; excellent for table use; one of the best early apples.

**SWEET BOUGH.**—

Large, pale yellow, tender and sweet; good bearer.

**YELLOW TRANSPARENT.**—

Medium size, roundish, slightly conical; skin pale yellow; flesh tender, juicy, sub-acid; good; a free grower.

## AUTUMN VARIETIES.

**ALEXANDER.**—

Large, conical; greenish-yellow, streaked with orange and brilliant bright red in the sun; flesh yellowish white, of medium quality; very productive.

**FALL PIPPIN.**—

Very large, yellowish green; tree vigorous and very productive; flesh white, tender and mellow; one of the best fall apples.

**FAMEUSE.**—

(Snow Apple.) Medium, roundish; greenish yellow, with streaks of deep red on sunny side; flesh remarkably white; very juicy.

**GRAVENSTEIN.**—

Large, beautifully dashed with deep red and orange; tender and crisp, with a highly aromatic flavor; tree very vigorous.

**MAIDEN'S BLUSH.**—

Medium, well shaped; yellow, with a very distinct red cheek on the sunny side; flesh

white; pleasant sub-acid flavor; excellent for table and cooking.

**RAMBO.**—

Medium, yellowish white, streaked with pale yellow and red; tender, rich and sub-acid; very productive.

**RED BEITIGHEIMER.**—

Very large, roundish, inclined to conical; skin pale, cream colored ground, mostly covered with purplish crimson; flesh firm, white, with brisk sub-acid flavor; a strong grower and heavy bearer.

**TWENTY OUNCE.**—

Large and showy; a good, sprightly fruit, though not very highly flavored; flesh coarse grained, brisk sub-acid.

**WAXEN.**—

Fruit medium; skin pale yellow; flesh crisp, tender, juicy, sub-acid; one of the best for drying.

## WINTER VARIETIES.

**ARKANSAS BLACK.**—

Medium, round; yellow where not covered with a beautiful dark maroon, approaching black; flesh firm, fine grained, juicy; a long keeper.

**BALDWIN.**—

Large, rounded; deep, bright red; very productive; one of the best and most popular winter apples.

**BEN DAVIS.**—

Medium to large; yellowish, almost entirely overspread with two shades of red; flesh white, tender, juicy; pleasant sub-acid.

**BLUE PEARMAIN.**—

Very large, roundish, inclined oblong; color dark purplish red in large stripes on lighter ground; flesh yellowish; mild sub-acid; good.

**GLORIA MUNDI.**—

Very large, greenish yellow; flesh coarse, tender, with pleasant, sub-acid flavor; excel-

lent for cooking and drying.

**GOLDEN RUSET.**—

Medium, dull russet, with a tinge of red; flesh crisp, juicy and highly flavored.

**HYDE'S KING OF THE WEST.**—

Large to very large; handsome yellowish green; good quality; a remarkable keeper; a very popular sort in some sections.

**JONATHAN.**—

Medium, conical; light yellow, covered with red stripes; tender and juicy; excellent for table or market.

**KING OF TOMPKINS COUNTY.**—

Very large, globular; yellowish, shaded with red; flesh yellowish, rather coarse, juicy; rich flavor.

**LAWVER.**—

(Delaware Red.) Large, roundish flat, mild sub-acid, very heavy and hard; dark red; handsomest of the extra late keepers.

**SAVE MONEY**—Get your neighbor to order with you. You save freight charges and get the benefit of Quantity Prices.



## APPLES—Continued.

### WINTER VARIETIES.

**MAMMOTH BLACK TWIG.—**

Very large; bright red, pleasant sub-acid; fine late keeper.

**NORTHERN SPY.—**

Large, round, greenish yellow stripes of purplish red; flesh white, juicy, brisk sub-acid; valuable for market and cooking.

**RHODE ISLAND GREENING.—**

Large, greenish yellow; flesh yellow, fine grained, tender, crisp, juicy and aromatic; excellent for cooking and table.

**ROME BEAUTY.—**

Large, yellow, shaded with bright red, juicy and sub-acid.

**ROXBURY RUSSET.—**

Medium, dull green, covered with brownish russet; flesh greenish white, with a rich sub-acid flavor.

**SALOME.—**

Winter; long keeper, annual bearer; medium and uniform size; good quality.

**SPITZENBERG.—**

Large, oblong; yellowish ground with broken stripes of bright red; flesh yellow, juicy with a delicious rich flavor.

**STARK.—**

Large, greenish yellow, shaded and splashed with dark red; thickly sprinkled with brown dots; flesh yellowish, juicy, mild sub-acid; a long keeper and profitable market fruit.

We can supply many other sorts not listed above.

**TOLMAN'S SWEET.—**

Medium size, pale, whitish yellow, tinged with red; flesh firm, rich and very sweet; excellent for cooking.

**WEALTHY.—**

Medium, whitish yellow, shaded with deep red; flesh white, tender and juicy.

**WINE SAP.—**

Medium; yellow ground, streaked with red; flesh yellow, with rich, high flavor; excellent for table and one of the very best cider fruits.

**WOLF RIVER.—**

Large and handsome; greenish yellow shaded with dark and light red; tree a strong grower and good bearer.

**YELLOW BELLFLOWER.—**

Large, oblong, yellow, sometimes a blush in the sun; flesh firm, crisp, juicy, sub-acid; tree a good grower and very productive; succeeds well in this valley.

**YAKIMA.—**

Large, bright red; a good sort and very popular in some places.

**YELLOW NEWTOWN PIPPIN.—**

Large, skin smooth, golden yellow; flesh firm, crisp, juicy; one of the standard varieties.

### NEW VARIETIES OF APPLES.

Nice stocky 2-year-old trees. Note prices following each variety.

**BISMARCK.—**

The apple novelty; tree bears at two years old; every one should try it; tree of short, stocky growth, thick, healthy foliage; fruit large, handsome, yellow, sometimes shaded red cheek; flesh tender, pleasantly sub-acid; entirely new, seldom failing to bear when two years old.

Price, 35c each.

**CLAYTON.—**

Winter; large, yellow, striped red; productive.

Price, 50c each.

### CRAB APPLES.

Nice stocky trees, each, 35c; per 10, \$3.00.

**HYSLOP.—**

Large, dark crimson, with bloom; very showy and popular on account of its size and hardness.

**TRANSCENDENT.—**

Fruit very large; skin yellow, striped with red; the best of its class for cider.

**MULTNOMAH, (NEW).—**

A grand new sort; a hybrid between the American Pippin and Rome Beauty. Originated by H. A. Lewis, Russellville Nursery Co. Fruit large; color red, striped yellow; flesh white and fine and of sub-acid flavor; extra long keeper and in its prime from February to June; the coming apple for long-distance shipment and Oriental trade.

Price, \$1.50.

**WINTER BANANA.—**

Winter; yellow, blush cheek; sub-acid; medium size

Price, 50c each.

**YELLOW SIBERIAN.—**

Fruit small, fine, golden yellow color.

**FLORENCE.—**

Size medium; red striped, early bearer, bearing full crop each year; tree immensely productive; juicy and crisp; the best for home garden.

### APRICOTS.

	Each.	Per 10.	Per 100.
2-year-old .....	\$0.35	\$3.00	\$30.00
1-year-old, 4 to 6 feet	.30	2.75	25.00
Select, 2 years old ....	.40		

**MOORPARK.—**

Very large, yellowish green, brownish red on the sunny side; flesh bright orange, parts freely from the stone; fine for canning and drying.

**ROYAL.—**

Above medium size; sweet, rich and juicy.

**TILTON.—**

Large; rich color, high flavor; very productive; one of the best.

**LEWIS.—**

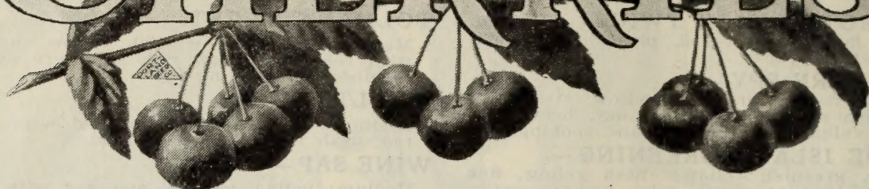
One of the largest apricots known; handsome in appearance; flavor excellent. If you have room for only one apricot tree, plant the Lewis.

Price, \$1.50.

OUR TREES ARE LARGE, STRONG, HEALTHY AND WELL ROOTED. ORDER OF  
US, AND GET THE BEST, TRUE STOCKS.



# CHERRIES



	Each.	Per 10.	Per 100.
2-year-old .....	\$0.50	\$4.00	\$35.00
1-year-old, 4 to 6 feet..	.35	3.00	25.00
1-year-old, 3 to 4 feet..	.30	2.50	25.00
Select, 2 to 3 years old.	.75		

## BING.—

Originated in Oregon, from seed of Black Republican; fruit large, dark brown or black; very fine; late; a good shipping variety.

## BLACK TRATARIAN.—

Largest size; flesh purple, half tender and juicy; the best black cherry.

## BLACK REPUBLICAN.—

(Lewelling.) Seedling raised by Seth Lewelling, of Oregon; large size, black, sweet, with purplish flesh; late, and a good shipper.

## HOSKINS.—

Originated in Oregon; large, dark brown; rich and juicy; one of the best; a good shipper.

## KENTISH.—

(Early Richmond.) Dark red, juicy; one of the best acid cherries, and unsurpassed for cooking purposes; very productive.

## LATE DUKE.—

Large, light red; late and excellent; sub-acid.

## LAMBERT.—

Fruit of largest size and of fine quality; color deep, rich red; flesh firm and of fine flavor; a fine market variety; ripens two weeks later than Royal Ann.

## MAY DUKE.—

Large, rich, dark red; flesh tender, juicy and sub-acid; an excellent variety, and one of the earliest of its class.

## MOOREHOUSE.—

A new cherry, very much like the favorite Royal Ann, except that the trees are more healthy. **Price, 50c each.**

## MONTMORENCY LARGE.—

A large, red cherry; larger than Kentish and fully ten days later.

## OREGON.—

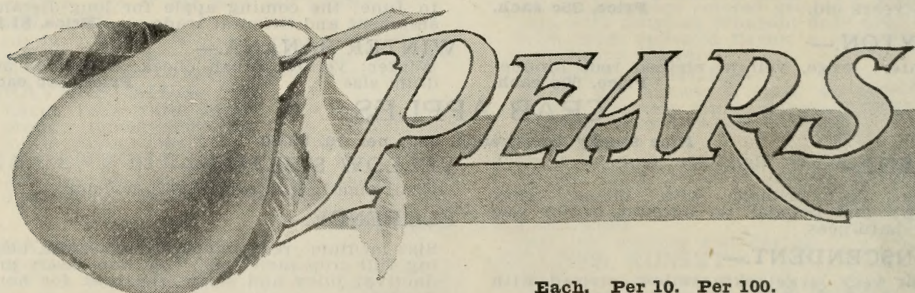
Large, black, solid, free, vigorous and productive; a fine shipper.

## ROYAL ANN.—

(Napoleon Bigarreau.) A magnificent cherry of the largest size; pale yellow, becoming amber in the shade; richly dotted and spotted with deep red, and with a bright red cheek; flesh very firm, juicy and sweet; tree a rapid grower and immense bearer.

## ROCHALINE.—

A new German cherry, larger and redder than the Royal Ann; better shipper and more prolific bearer. **Price, \$1.00 each.**



	Each.	Per 10.	Per 100.
2-year-old .....	\$0.35	\$3.00	\$30.00
1-year-old, 4 to 6 feet..	.30	2.50	25.00
Select, 2 to 3-year-old stock .....	.50		

## SUMMER VARIETIES.

## BARTLETT.—

Large; skin thin, clear, lemon yellow, with soft blush on the sunny side; flesh white, buttery, very juicy and highly flavored; the best summer pear in existence.

## CLAPP'S FAVORITE.—

Large, pale lemon yellow, marbled with crimson; flesh fine grained and melting, with rich vinous flavor.

## MADELINE.—

Medium, pale yellow; flesh melting and juicy; the first early pear.

## SECKEL.—

Rich and highly flavored; its highly concentrated spicy, honeyed flavor is unequaled; skin brownish green, russet brown cheek; flesh whitish, buttery and melting.

## REMEMBER

YOU CAN NOT BUY GOOD, STRONG, HEALTHY STOCK AT THE RIDICULOUSLY LOW PRICES OFFERED BY SOME DEALERS.



## PEARS—Continued. AUTUMN VARIETIES.

### BEURRE CLAIRGEAU.—

Large, yellow, shaded with orange and crimson; covered with russet dots; flesh yellowish, buttery, juicy.

### FALL BUTTER.—

A favorite fall pear; yellow, sweet and juicy.

Portland Seed Co.—The Oregon Strawberry Plants I bought from you have done splendidly.

B. N. CARRIER, Prairie City, Or.

### KEIFFER'S HYBRID.—

Large, rich golden yellow; often tinted with red on one side; flesh slightly coarse, juicy, with a pronounced quince flavor; early bearer; prolific.

### LOUISE BONNE DE JERSEY.—

Large, greenish yellow, brownish red in the sun, marked with gray dots; flesh juicy, melting; very prolific.

## WINTER VARIETIES.

### EASTER BEURRE.—

Large, yellowish green; flesh white, fine grained, juicy; sweet, rich flavor.

### VICAR OF WAKEFIELD.—

Valuable on account of its productiveness; very large and handsome, but of poor quality.

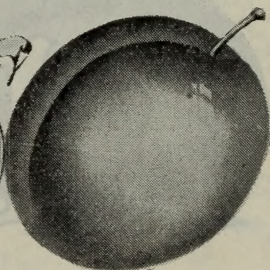
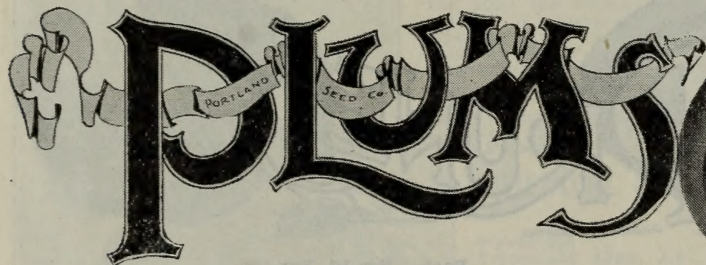
### WINTER NELIS.—

Medium; skin yellowish green, dotted with gray russet; flesh yellowish white; fine grained and abounding with juice of a rich saccharine, aromatic flavor; especially adapted to this valley, producing large crops every year; an excellent shipper and good keeper.

### WINTER BARTLETT.—

This fine pear originated in Eugene, Oregon, fruit large, closely resembling the famous Bartlett in shape and appearance, but ripening considerably later; skin yellow, slight blush on side exposed to the sun; perfectly smooth, sprinkled with large russet brown dots; flesh not quite as fine grained as the Bartlett, but tender, juicy and melting and with a flavor almost identical to the Bartlett; this pear is undoubtedly one of the few pears of recent introduction of real merit; its close resemblance to the Bartlett, fine flavor, unexcelled keeping qualities, combined with its lateness, places it in the front rank as one of the finest of winter pears, worthy of extensive cultivation; in every way a grand pear.

Price, 50c each.



	Each.	Per 10.	Per 100.
2-year-old .....	\$0.25	\$2.25	\$20.00
1-year-old, 4 to 6 feet ..	.20	1.75	15.00
Select, 2 to 3 years old	.30		

### ABUNDANCE.—

Fruit large and beautiful; bright cherry; flesh light yellow, juicy, tender, sweet; productive; very early.

### BRADSHAW.—

Reddish purple, juicy and pleasant; adheres partially to the stone.

### CLYMAN.—

Mottled, reddish purple; freestone; flesh firm and sweet; strong grower.

### COLUMBIA.—

Largest size, nearly globular; brownish purple; rich, sugary, freestone.

### DAMSON.—

Small, oval; skin purple; flesh melting, rather tart.

### GREEN GAGE.—

Small round; flesh pale green, melting and juicy; freestone.

### PEACH.—

Very large; skin brownish red, slightly coarse grained, but juicy; freestone; very popular.

### REINE CLAUDE.—

One of the best foreign varieties, and of fine flavor; roundish oval; greenish, marked with red in the sun.

### WASHINGTON.—

A large plum; skin dull yellow, with a pale crimson blush; flesh firm; very sweet and luscious; freestone.

### YELLOW EGG.—

Very large; skin of a deep golden color; but rather acid; excellent for cooking; very showy.

May 2, 1905.

### PORTLAND SEED CO.

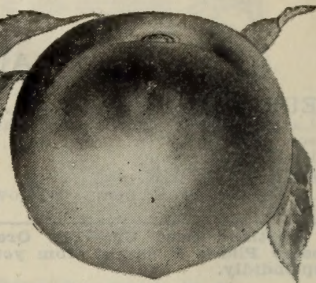
Gentlemen: The trees came promptly and in good condition. I never saw a better lot of two-year-old trees. Thanks for the extra Cherry tree. Yours truly,

MRS. CHAS. ZIMMERMAN,  
Jefferson, Or.

**OUR TREES ARE LARGE, STRONG, HEALTHY AND WELL ROOTED.**  
ORDER FROM US, AND GET THE BEST, TRUE STOCKS.



# PEACHES



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1-year-old, 4 to 6 feet. ....	.30	2.50	20.00
Select, 2 years old .....	.40		

## EARLY CRAWFORD.—

Very large, yellow, with red cheek; flesh sweet and excellent; our most popular peach for table and canning; freestone.

## ELBERTA.—

Very large, bright yellow, red cheek; flesh yellow, juicy, sweet; regular bearer; fruit very showy and perfect freestone.

## FOSTER.—

Large, yellow, dark red on the sunny side; very rich, juicy and early; freestone.

## HALE'S EARLY.—

Medium; skin greenish, mottled with red; flesh white, juicy and sweet; semi-freestone.

## LATE CRAWFORD.—

Very large, roundish; yellow, with dark red cheeks; flesh deep yellow, juicy and melting; flavor rich and excellent; very popular; valuable for canning and drying; freestone.

## MUIR.—

Large; pale yellow, very firm and sweet; best for drying; freestone.

## SALWAY.—

Creamy yellow, red cheek; flesh deep yellow, red at the pit; rich and sweet; a standard late peach, growing more and more in favor with orchardists; freestone.



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1-year-old, 4 to 6 feet. ....	.20	1.75	15.00
Select, 2 to 3 years old .....	.35		

## GIANT.—

Largest prune known; fruit averaging 1½ to 2 ounces each; retaining the good qualities of the smaller varieties.

## HUNGARIAN.—

Very large; dark red; juicy and sweet.

## ITALIAN, Fellenberg.—

Medium, oval, tapering at both ends; dark purple; flesh greenish yellow; separates freely from the stone; best for drying.

## PETITE, French.—

Small size, egg-shaped; violet purple;

sweet; rich and sugary; very productive; standard variety for drying.

## SILVER.—

Seedling of the Coe's Golden Drop; tree vigorous and productive; fruit large and superior; excellent for drying.

## SUGAR, New.—

Tree vigorous grower; early bearer; fruit ripens twenty-eight days before the French; is four times as large and dries in half the time, flesh tender and rich in sugar; color dark purple.

## QUINCE.

	Each.	Per 10.
2-year-old .....	\$0.40	\$3.50
1-year-old .....	.35	3.00
Select, 2 years old .....	.50	

## CHAMPION.—

Large, yellow; flesh cooks very tender; flavor is most delicious; more productive than the orange, ripening two weeks later.

## PINEAPPLE.—

Flavor is suggestive of the pineapple; the fruit resembles the Orange Quince; makes superior jelly; can be eaten raw and has a most exquisite and delicious flavor, not equaled by any other quince. 50c each.

## SUBSTITUTION.

If the varieties of the trees ordered can not be supplied, others equally as good and ripening about the same season will be substituted, unless otherwise ordered.



# SMALL FRUITS, BERRIES, ETC.

Every owner of a home can find a small space or a corner in the garden for some small fruit bushes or plants. Nothing is so nice as to be able to go out at any time in season and pick a few dishes of nice, fresh, ripe, juicy berries for the table.

## BLACKBERRIES.

Each, 8c; per 10, 60c; per 100, \$5.00.

### KITTATINNY.—

Large, roundish, conical, glossy black, juicy, sweet, excellent when fully ripe.

### LAWTON.—

Fruit large; very productive; well and favorably known; Oregon's most popular kind.

### EVERGREEN.—

Introduced from Oregon; beautiful lacinated foliage, which it retains all winter; berries long, black, sweet, rich and delicious; ripens from July to November; a fine berry for family use.

Price, 10 for 90c; 100 for \$8.00.

## NEW MAMMOTH

## BLACKBERRY

This wonderful new blackberry which was introduced as a novelty several years ago, has proved to be a grand addition to the list of blackberries. The handsome, large, juicy berries are delicious.

This new blackberry is claimed to be a cross between the wild blackberry and the Crandall's Early. Grows entirely unlike any other blackberry plant known. It is a rampant grower, trailing on the ground, and under favorable conditions will grow twenty feet in a season; the canes are large, of deep red color when exposed to the sun; the foliage is large, thick, of a deep green color. It is enormously productive and exceedingly early, ripening three weeks before other cultivated kinds, thus bringing fancy prices. Fruit is enormous, specimens measuring  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches long; seeds small, soft and abundant; cores small, soft. In size and flavor it is said by those who have tested it to surpass all other varieties of blackberries. We offer it to the public, feeling that it is a novelty of real merit.

Prices: Each, 25c; per 10, \$2.00; per 100, \$15.00.

## BLACK CAP RASPBERRIES.

	Each.	Per 10.	Per 100.
2-year-old .....	\$0.08	\$0.75	\$6.00
1-year-old (Jan. 1.) .....	.06	.50	4.00

Low prices by the thousand.

### GREGG.—

Of good size; fine quality; very productive and hardy. It takes the same position among black caps as Cuthbert among the red sorts. No one can afford to be without it.

### KANSAS.—

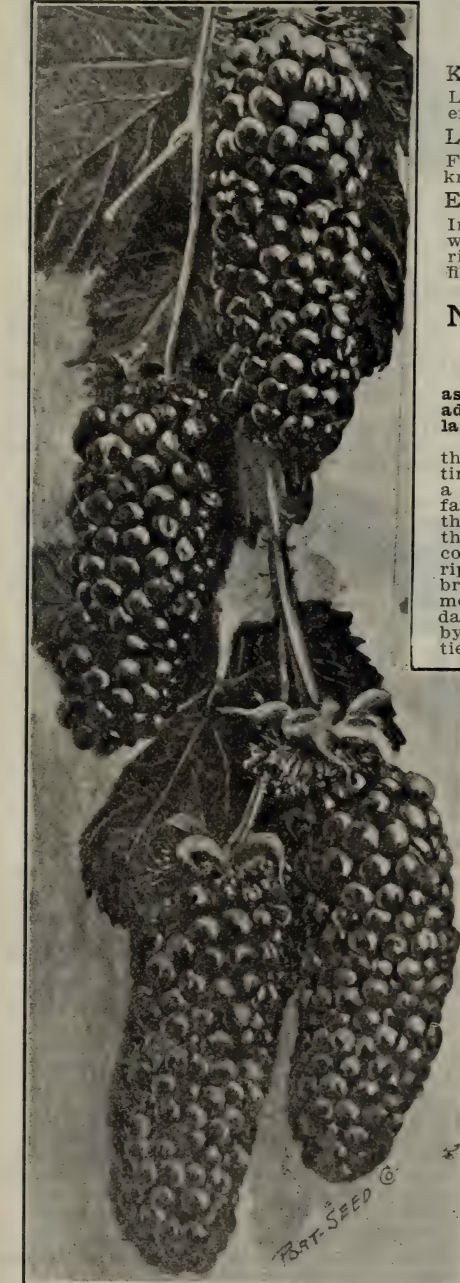
Strong, vigorous grower, standing extremes of drought and cold, and bearing immense crops. Early, ripening just after Palmer. Berries size of Gregg; of better color; jet black, and almost free from bloom; firm, of best quality; presents a handsome appearance and brings highest price in market.

### RED RASPBERRIES. See page 9.

Portland Seed Co.

Gentlemen: The trees you sent came in fine shape. I am much pleased with them, and thank you very much for the favor of refilling the order. Respectfully,

MRS. M. H. PATTEN, Aberdeen, Wash.



Mammoth Blackberries (cut made from photo).

FOR COMPLETE INDEX TO THIS CATALOGUE SEE PAGE 32.

## Small Fruits, Berries, Etc.—Continued



	Each.	Per 10.	Per 100.
2-year-old .....	\$0.15	\$1.25	\$10.00
1-year-old .....	.10	.75	6.00
Extra large selected bushes .....	.25		

**BLACK NAPLES.—**

Very large, black; valuable for jams and jellies.

**CHERRY.—**

Very large; deep red; fine for preserving; valuable market variety.

**FAY'S PROLIFIC.—**

A new currant, which has well sustained the claims of its disseminator; it is larger than the Cherry, has less acid, and is much more prolific.

**NORTH STAR.—**

Strongest grower among red varieties; bunches average 4 inches in length; extra quality; very productive.

**VICTORIA.—**

Large, bright red bunches, very long; an erect grower; late, productive and very valuable.

**WHITE GRAPE.**

Large, yellowish white, valuable for the table; the finest of the white sorts.



	Each.	Per 10.	Per 100.
2-year-old .....	\$0.15	\$1.50	\$10.00
1-year-old .....	.12	1.00	8.00
Extra large and strong roots .....	.25		

If wanted in large numbers, write for prices.

**CONCORD.—**

Large, black grape; bunches compact; berries round, sweet and pleasant; very popular.

**CAMPBELL'S EARLY.—**

A fine new grape; clusters large and handsome; berries large, nearly round, black, with light purple bloom; flesh rather firm but tender; quality rich, sweet, slightly vinous; a strong and vigorous grower.

**DELAWARE.—**

One of the finest of our native grapes; the vine is comparatively slender, but grows freely and is perfectly hardy in this climate; ripens early; berries small, light red.

**EATON.—**

A seedling of the Concord, but a more vigorous grower; very productive; bunch large, compact; fruit large, round, black, covered with a thick blue bloom; similar to Moore's Early.

**MCKINLEY (New).—**

A new early white grape of great merit, fully ten days earlier than the Niagara; a strong, vigorous grower; thick, healthy foliage, and perfect self-fertilizing blossoms; bunches large and compact; fruit large, nearly round; very sweet, with no acid around

the seeds, and no puckery taste in the skin; skin thin, green at first, then turning to yellow when fully ripe, very tenacious, bearing handling and shipping well, and has remarkable keeping qualities for an early grape.

Price, 1 year, 75c; 2 year, \$1.00.

**MOORE'S DIAMOND.—**

A new white grape; bunch large; berry greenish white; flesh juicy and almost without pulp; very few seeds.

**MOORE'S EARLY.—**

Bunch medium; berry very large, resembling Concord in quality, but more pulp, and is ten days earlier.

**NIAGARA.—**

Bunch medium; berry large, roundish, uniform; skin thin but tough; pale yellow; flesh tender and sweet; vine vigorous and productive; one of the best white grapes.

**POCKLINGTON.—**

Vine very vigorous, hardy and productive; bunch and berry of good size; color a light lemon yellow; flesh moderately tender, sweet, with a peculiar aromatic flavor.

**WORDEN.—**

Bunch very large and compact; berry large, black; an improved Concord.



## Small Fruits, Berries, Etc.—Continued.

## GOOSEBERRIES.

	Each.	Per 10.	Per 100.
2-year-old .....	\$0.10	\$0.90	\$8.00
1-year-old .....	.08	.70	6.00
Large selected bushes .....	.15		

**HOUGHTON.**—

Vigorous grower, abundant bearer; fruit of medium size, pale red, sweet and juicy.

**OREGON CHAMPION.**

Berries very large, pale green color; very sweet and fine for table use and pies; bush strong; not very thorny; very prolific bearer; most popular sort we have.

**JOSSELYN, Red Jacket.**—

An American seedling of large size; smooth, prolific and hardy; of best quality; has been well tested over a wide extent of territory by the side of all the leading varieties, and so far the freest from mildew, both in leaf and fruit, of them all; a wonderful crop-  
per, with bright, clean, healthy foliage.

Prices: Each, 15c; per 10, \$1.35; per 100, \$12.00.

## RASPBERRIES.

Each, 6c; per 10, 50c; per 100, \$4.00. Low prices by the thousand.

**CUTHBERT.**—

Berries very large; deep, rich crimson; good for shipping; the most popular of all raspberries; stands the sun and heat well.

**MARLBORO.**—

Very large and early; beautiful, bright scarlet; good quality; hardy and productive.

**RED ANTWERP.**—

Earlier and about the size of the Cuthbert; rich flavor; bright red, and a good market or home berry for this climate.

**BLACK CAP RASPBERRIES**, see page 7.

## LOGAN BERRY.

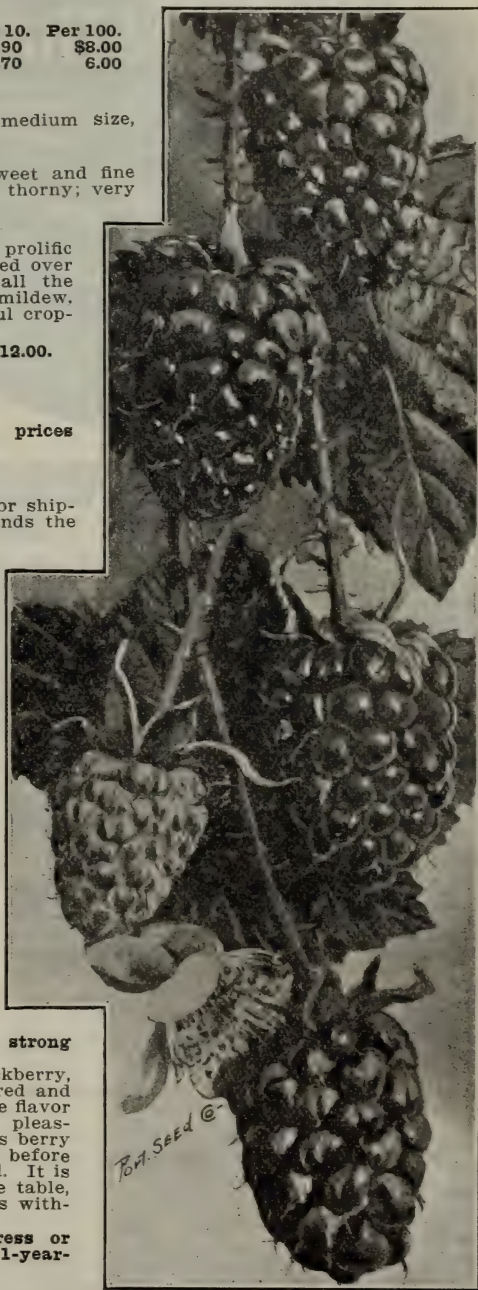
(Raspberry-Blackberry.)

This comparatively new berry is becoming more popular each year. It is a cross between a blackberry and raspberry. The vine grows entirely unlike the blackberry or raspberry; it trails upon the ground like a dewberry. The canes are very large, without the thorns of the blackberry, but have very fine spines like those found on the raspberry; leaves resemble those of the raspberry more than the blackberry; are of a deep green color, coarse and thick. **An exceedingly strong grower and an enormous bearer.**

The fruit is generally larger than the blackberry, often an inch and a quarter long; color dark red and produced in immense clusters. It partakes of the flavor of both the blackberry and raspberry; a mild, pleasant, vinous flavor, delicious and peculiar to this berry alone. Fruit ripens early, the bulk being gone before the blackberries or raspberries become plentiful. It is firm and a fine shipper. It is excellent for the table, eaten raw or stewed, and for jelly or jam it is without an equal.

Prices: 2-year-old, 20c each, postpaid; by express or freight, 15c each; \$1.25 per 10; \$10.00 per 100; 1-year-old (tips), \$1.00 per 10; \$7.50 per 100.

Low prices by the thousand.



Logan Berries.

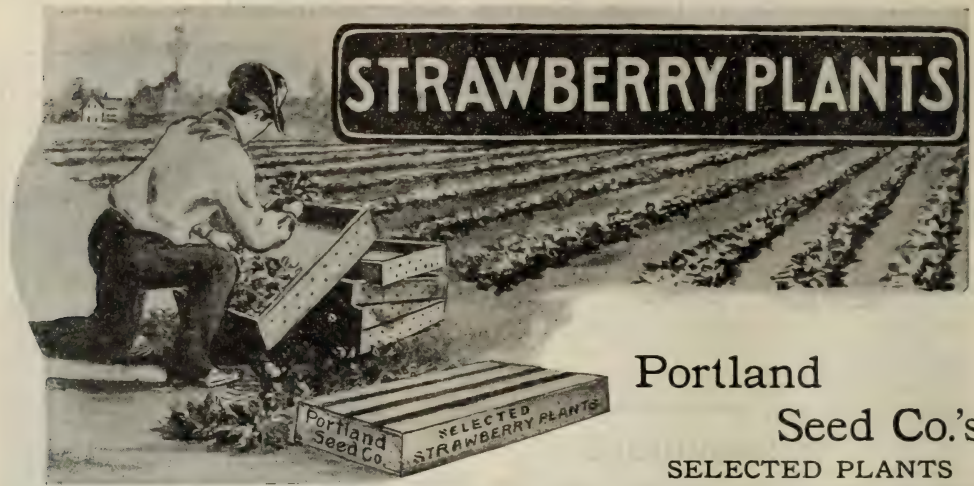
Portland Seed Co.

May 12, 1905.

Gentlemen: Some time ago I sent you an order for strawberry plants. They were finely rooted and are doing fine. Yours truly,

H. R. ALGER, Murphy, Ore.





## Portland Seed Co.'s SELECTED PLANTS

Plants grown in our carefully prepared beds are far superior, and will come into bearing earlier and will produce finer and better fruit and more of it. Order Portland Seed Company's selected Strawberry Plants. We are sure they will please you.

### PACKED IN VENTILATED CRATES.

We have heretofore had many complaints on Strawberry Plants shipped in sacks, so have decided to pack them in light, ventilated crates, protected with moss. Packed in this way they will ship safely and arrive in good condition, even though they are on the road for ten days or two weeks. While we will sort up orders to suit customers, not less than 500 plants of a kind can be ordered at the thousand rate.

Our trade in Strawberry Plants has grown so large that we have decided to make a specialty of this branch. We now have large acreage and strong, healthy, well-rooted plants and can furnish them in any quantity. The Strawberry Plants we are now selling must not be classed with those offered and sold by fruitgrowers, who simply let the strawberry runners take root between the rows after the picking season is over, and are dug in the fall, regardless of size and quality.

#### WILSON.—

The old standard for shipping; a heavy bearer of fine, moderate-sized berries; sharp acid flavor and the leading sort for canning.

#### MAGOON.—

Originated by Mr. Magoon, near Portland; berry large, firm, and excellent; sub-acid flavor; bears heavily, and throughout the season, being a little later than the Wilson; especially adapted to Western Oregon and Washington.

#### CLARK'S SEEDLING.—

The berry that has made Hood River famous; best shipper; berries large, firm and of delicious flavor; vines bear large crops; is especially adapted to dry soil.

#### MARSHALL.—

Recommended by Corvallis Experiment Station as being the best all-round strawberry; this strawberry, while not very well known here, is so well liked by those who have tried it, that we have decided to list it this year. The originator says one-third of an acre produced 3,000 baskets of berries. The berries are very large size, fourteen filling a basket; color, very dark crimson throughout; fine flavor and grain, and good keeper, which commends it for garden or market purposes; blossom perfect; the plant is a vigorous, hearty grower. One local grower says in size, appearance, flavor and sweetness it is superior to the Magoon. While we have a fair supply of this sort, we anticipate such a demand for them that our stock will likely be exhausted early.

#### PRICE LIST OF PLANTS.

Kinds,	By mail, postpaid.		By express or freight, packed in ventila- ted crates.	
	Dozen.	100.	100.	1000.
New Oregon—Improved	\$0.40	\$2.50	\$2.00	\$10.00
Clark's Seedling	.25	1.00	.60	4.50
Magoon	.25	1.00	.60	4.50
Wilson	.25	1.00	.60	4.50
Marshall	.35	1.25	.75	6.00

Not less than 500 plants of a kind at the 1000 rates.

To compete with other dealers in plants, we will ship in sacks as heretofore if requested at 50c less per thousand, although we advise all buyers to order in ventilated crates, as plants will keep so much better and will be carefully packed with all crowns up.

**IF YOU WANT PLANTS** IN LOTS OF THREE TO FIVE THOUSAND OR MORE,  
DON'T FAIL TO WRITE FOR SPECIAL PRICES.



## Strawberries—Continued.

## NEW OREGON.—Improved.

Introduced by Portland Seed Company in 1903. Do not confound this new sort with the old, run-out Oregon Everbearing. This is the greatest and grandest Strawberry ever introduced; 15 berries fill a quart box; 60 berries fill a 5-lb. grape basket. You never saw its equal. It always looks bright, fresh and attractive.

This handsome, new strawberry, introduced and placed on the market by us three seasons ago, has made a very favorable impression. Persons who have had a chance of seeing the growth and yield of the young plants and the testing of the merits of it, predict a bright future for the "New Oregon."

We have carefully tested this new berry alongside of many other sorts and for earliness, productiveness and quality it is O. K. Read the unsolicited testimonials below.

## GENERAL DESCRIPTION.—

The berry is very large, but firm and handsome. In color it is a rich, dark red, extending to the center. The flavor is rich, sweet and delicious. For table use and canning it can not be equaled. The "Oregon" ripens very early and continues in bearing until late in the season, a good second crop coming on about October. The foliage is large and thick, and protects the fruit from frost, so that the berries can be gathered here as late as Thanksgiving Day. This variety is very prolific and a heavy cropper. Plants, the first season, often bear a quart to the plant. For the family garden this berry will certainly prove the most satisfactory.

## New Oregon (Natural Size).

Since we introduced this new strawberry, many parties have taken advantage of our advertising and are offering and selling strawberry plants under the name of "Oregons," "New Oregons," etc. They may be Oregon-grown plants, but if you want the True, Genuine, New Oregon, buy of us, the original introducers.

Since we first secured this wonderful berry, we have, by careful selection and cultivation, improved it greatly. We can furnish these plants in any quantity this season and have reduced the price to within the reach of all. (See opposite page.)

## A FEW REPORTS, READ THEM.

Portland Seed Co.

April 15, 1905.

Gentlemen: Enclosed please find P. O. order for \$15 for which please send me according to offer on February 9, 1900 Oregon strawberries. Forward promptly and oblige.

JOHN E. GREEN, Olalla, Wash.

Gentlemen: I have grown and marketed strawberries for twenty years; have planted and tested your "New Oregon" strawberry, and can say it is all you claim for it. My New Oregon plants this spring produced berries of excellent flavor and quality ten days earlier than any other kind in this vicinity.

Yours truly,

W. E. LEWIS, Russellville, Or.

January 6, 1905.

Gentlemen: The New Oregon strawberry plants I bought of you were all you claim for them. Every plant grew and bore the first season.

MRS. HANNAH STEWART, Lorella, Or.

Dear Sirs: Strawberry plants received and in good condition. Thanks.

Yours truly,

MILDRED B. RIGGS, Rickreal, Or.

Gentlemen: The Oregon strawberries purchased of you last year have made a fine bed. A few fully ripe berries left on the vines for a test withstood one of the heavy rainy spells apt to come in strawberry time here, without softening or impairing the flavor.

Yours truly,

MRS. E. C. SAITRE, Olympia, Wash.

Gentlemen: Strawberry plants received yesterday in first class condition. Thank you very much for your promptness.

MRS. WM. WILLS, Carlton, Or.

April 27, 1905.

Portland Seed Co.

Dear Sirs: I received the plants in first-class condition. They are extra nice large ones, and packed very nicely. I am more than pleased with them.

MRS. JOHN HAM, Pialchie, Wash.

## Plants by the Thousand.

We make a specialty of growing strawberry plants; see preceding page. If wanted in quantities, write us for SPECIAL PRICES.

THE FINEST GARDENS are made by planting Portland Seed Company's "Diamond Brand" Seeds. Catalogue free.



# ROOTS, ETC.

## ASPARAGUS.—

One of the earliest and finest of Spring Vegetables; very easily grown. A bed once planted is good for years if properly attended to and well manured.

**CULTIVATION**—See that the ground is well drained, work it up fine and deep and make it very rich with fertilizer or barnyard manure. Locate the plants eight inches apart in rows three feet apart. Spread out the roots in a trench made deep enough to permit their crowns to be covered with three or four inches of mellow earth. Give the bed liberal dressings of fertilizer at intervals, and, except near the sets, three pounds of salt per square yard early every spring. Do not cut for use until the plants have grown two seasons.

We can supply Connover's Colossal, Palmetto and Columbian Mammoth White.

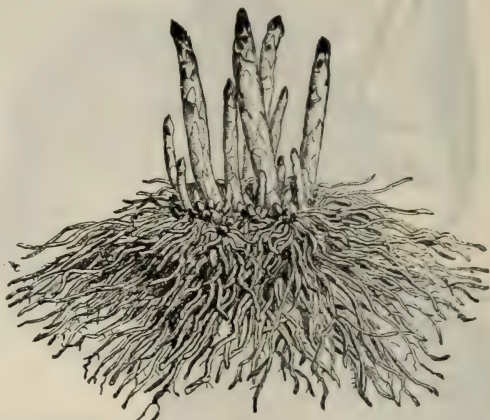
### ONE-YEAR-OLD PLANTS.—

Postpaid, 25c per dozen; 50 for 75c; 100 for \$1.00. By express or freight, 20c per dozen; 50 for 50c; 100 for 75c.

### TWO-YEAR-OLD PLANTS.—

Postpaid, 40c per dozen; 50 for \$1.00; 100 for \$1.50. By express or freight, 25c per dozen; 50 for 75c; 100 for \$1.00.

Write for prices if wanted by the thousand.



Asparagus Root.



Rhubarb.

## HORSE RADISH.—

This useful condiment is easily grown and prefers a rich, moist loam. Plant in rows eighteen inches apart, putting the sets one foot apart, being careful to place the thin end down in the ground. Constant cultivation greatly improves the size and quality.

Postpaid, 5c each; 40c per dozen.

By express or freight, 25c per dozen; \$1.50 per 100.

Write for prices by the 1000.

## HOP VINES.—

Grown very extensively for the hops; also planted largely for shade and covering fences, buildings, etc.; rapid growers.

### ENGLISH CLUSTEE.—The best sort.

Strong roots, postpaid, 5c each; 40c per dozen.

By express, 25c per dozen; \$1.50 per 100.

Write for price if wanted by the thousand. We have an unlimited supply.

## HOP FERTILIZER.—

Mr. F. D. Yergen, Woodburn, Ore., says:

I used 1000 pounds of your No. 10 Hop Fertilizer last season, putting it on three acres. The results surpassed my expectations, the crop being very firm and heavy. I shall use more this year than I did last. I most heartily recommend this fertilizer to anyone growing hops. Booklet on Fertilizer Free on Request.

## RHUBARB, OR PIE PLANT.—

This deserves to be ranked among the best early products of the garden. It affords the earliest material for fine pies and fresh table sauce, continues long in use and is valuable for canning.

A deep, rich soil is indispensable to secure large, heavy stalks. Plant in rows four feet apart, with the plants three feet distant. Set so that the crowns are about an inch below the surface. Top-dressing annually in the fall with stable manure and fork under in the spring.

### VARIETIES—MAMMOTH, GIANT and LINNAEUS.

#### ONE-YEAR-OLD ROOTS.—

Postpaid, 8c each; 75c per dozen.

By express or freight, 50c per dozen; \$3.00 per 100.

#### TWO-YEAR-OLD ROOTS.—

Postpaid, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

By express or freight, 85c per dozen; \$6.00 per 100.

If wanted in larger quantities, write for special prices.

**NOTE.**—We advise our customers to order the above roots by express or freight, if possible, as it enables us to send much larger and better rooted plants, at a less cost to the buyer.

Portland Seed Co.

April 12, 1905.

Gentlemen: Your fruit trees and rhubarb I got from you are doing fine. WM. COFFMAN, Seaside, Ore.

Gentlemen: The Asparagus Roots came to hand all right; fine roots in fine condition. JOHN E. GREEN, Ollala, Wash.



Horse Radish.



## SHADE, NUT AND ORNAMENTAL TREES AND SHRUBS.

### DECIDUOUS.

#### ALMOND.—

**Hard Shell.** A fine, hardy variety with large, plump kernels of good quality.

4 to 6 feet, each, 75c.

**Soft Shell.** Good variety; highly prized for its nuts; shell soft.

4 to 6 feet, each, 75c.

**Double Red.** Beautiful shrub, bearing in May, before the leaves appear; double, rose-like flowers.

3 to 4 feet, each, 75c.

**Double White.** Same as above, only the flowers are white.

3 to 4 feet, each, 75c.

#### ALTHAEA, Rose of Sharon.—

These beautiful shrubs bloom very freely in August and September, when few other shrubs are in bloom, and being easily cared for, are worthy of a place in every garden. Our collection comprises three double varieties, **Purple, Pink and White.**

3 to 4 feet, each, 75c.

#### AZALEA.—

**Mollis.** The most gorgeous of all hardy shrubs. The blossoms, which vary in color from intense crimson to lemon yellow, are borne in greatest profusion in early spring, before the leaves appear. It makes a compact, symmetrical shrub.

**White, Yellow, Orange, or Red, grafted,** each, \$1.50; imported, 75c to \$1.50 each.

**A. Crimson.** A hardy evergreen species. These are dazzling in their brilliancy.

Each, \$1.00 to \$1.50.

#### BAMBOO.—

A very ornamental plant, with graceful and almost evergreen foliage. We have four varieties, all hardy.

**Strong clumps,** 3 to 6 feet, each, 75c to \$1.50.

#### BERBERRY, Berberis.—

**Purple-Leaved.** A very pretty shrub, with purple foliage; fruit acid and is highly esteemed for preserving.

2 to 3 feet, each, 35c to 50c.

**B. Illicifolia.** Large, dark green leaves, remaining on the plant until late in the winter; a fine variety.

2 to 3 feet, each, 60c to 75c.

**B. Thunbergii.** From Japan. A pretty species of dwarf habit; small foliage, changing to a beautiful red in autumn.

2 to 3 feet, each, 60c to 75c.

#### BEECH.—

**Fern Leaved.** A handsome and attractive tree of elegant, round habit, and delicately cut, fern-like foliage. During the growing season its young shoots are like tendrils, giving a graceful, wavy aspect to the tree.

3 to 4 feet, each, \$1.50.

**Purple Leaved.** Foliage is deep purple in the spring, changing to crimson in the fall.

3 to 4 feet, each, \$1.50; 5 to 6 feet, \$2.00.

#### BIRCH.—

**European White.** Remarkable for its elegance; very graceful, with silvery bark and slender branches.

6 to 8 feet, each, 75c; 8 to 10 feet, \$1.00.

**Cut Leaf.** Under Weeping Trees.

#### BOX ELDER (See Negundo).—

#### BUTTERNUT.—

A beautiful growing tree, highly prized for its nuts.

4 to 5 feet, each, 50c to 60c.

#### CATALPA, Western.—

**Speciosa.** Valuable for forest and ornamental planting. A rapid grower; large, heart-shaped leaves, and compound panicles of white flowers.

6 to 7 feet, each, 60c; 7 to 9 feet, 75c to \$1.00.

#### FERTILIZER.

Our No. 5 Fertilizer mixed into the soil around small trees and shrubs will do a great amount of good. (See inside front cover.)



#### CALYCANTHUS, Sweet Shrub.—

**Floridus.** A very desirable shrub, with fragrant wood and rich foliage; flowers are a rare chocolate color, having a peculiar, agreeable odor.

3 to 4 feet, each, 75c.

#### CHESTNUT.—

**American Sweet.** Makes a handsome shade tree; fruit medium size, sweet and well-flavored.

7 to 8 feet, each, 75c to \$1.00.

**Spanish.**—A valuable species, both for ornament and fruit. It forms a handsome lawn tree and produces much larger fruit than the American variety.

4 to 6 feet, each, 60c to 75c.

**Mammoth Japanese.** A variety we import from Japan; yields much the best and largest fruit.

4 to 6 feet, each, 75c.

**Horse, European.** A handsome tree of regular form, with showy foliage, and covered in the spring with panicles of showy, white or red flowers; a very ornamental tree.

**Red Flowering.** 3 to 4 feet, each, \$1.00; 6 to 8 feet, \$1.50.

**White Flowering.** 4 to 5 feet, each, 60c; 6 to 8 feet, \$1.00; 10 to 12 feet, \$1.50.

#### COTONEASTER.—

**C. Horizontalis.** Choice evergreen, with minute, deep glossy green foliage. A plant of prostrate habit of growth, admirable for covering low walls, or to use to cover rocks and stumps.

3 to 4 feet, each, 60c to 75c.

**S. Simondsii.** A beautiful upright shrub, with fruit of a rich, deep orange color.

Each, 75c.

November 30, 1904.

Portland Seed Co.

Gentlemen: Trees received. Am well pleased with them.

Yours,

JOHN R. GOULTER, Ilwaco, Wash.



## DEUTZIA.—

This valuable species of plants comes to us from Japan. Their hardiness, luxuriant foliage and profusion of attractive flowers, render them deservedly among the most popular of flowering shrubs. The flowers are produced in June, in racemes four to six inches long.

**Pride of Rochester.** A variety producing large, double white flowers; back of petals slightly tinted rose; excels all others in size of flower, length of panicle, profuseness of bloom and vigorous habit; blooms nearly a week earlier.

**Strong clumps, each, 60c.**

**Lemoinei.** The branches are entirely covered with erect panicles of large, snow-white flowers.

**2 to 3 feet, each, 75c.**



## ELM.—

**American White.** A large, magnificent tree, with drooping, spreading branches; one of the grandest shade trees.

**6 to 8 feet, 60c to 75c; 8 to 10 feet, \$1.00.**

**Cork Bark.** A valuable shade tree, and very desirable for streets and avenues; young branches very corky.

**6 to 8 feet, each, 60c; 8 to 10 feet, \$1.00.**

**English.** An erect, lofty tree, with rather small leaves.

**6 to 8 feet, each, 75c.**

**Purple Leaved.** Erect in growth, with slender branches densely clothed with dark purplish-green foliage.

**5 to 6 feet, each, \$1.00.**

## ELAEAGNUS LONGPIPES.—

This has small, yellowish-white flowers in May, followed by berries of a reddish, amber color.

**3 to 4 feet, each, 75c.**

## EUONYMUS, Strawberry Tree.—

**Burning Bush, or Spindle Tree.** A tall growing shrub; leaves turn scarlet in the fall; produces medium sized scarlet berries.

**3 to 4 feet, each, 75c.**

## EULALIA.—

These beautiful hardy grasses are deserving of the highest commendation. For the garden they are invaluable, being very showy and ornamental and of easy cultivation.

**Japonica-Gracillima.** A beautiful ornamental sort, with narrow, graceful foliage.

**Each, 75c.**

## EXOCHORDA.—

**E. Grandiflora.** Produces large, white flowers in May; one of the finest shrubs of its season.

**3 to 4 feet, each, 60c to 75c.**

## FIG.—

Grown as an ornamental tree; also for its fruit.

**2 to 3 feet, each, \$1.00.**

## FILBERTS, ENGLISH.—

Grow 6 to 10 feet high; of easy culture. Nuts rich and of excellent flavor.

**Each, 3 to 4 feet, 50c; 4 to 6 feet, 75c.**

**Purple Leaf.** See page 16.

## FORSYTHIA, Golden Bell.—

A very pretty shrub, with drooping yellow flowers.

**Strong clumps, each, 50c.**

## GENISTA, Scotch Broom.—

**Scoparia.** The stems and branches are of a bright green color; the flowers are yellow, pea-shaped, and completely cover the plant, opening during the last days of May.

**3 feet, each, 50c to 60c.**

**G. Alba.** Same as above, with white flowers.

**3 feet, each, 60c.**

**G. Juncea, Spanish Broom.** Yellow flowers; blooms continuously.

**3 feet, each, 60c.**

## HALESIA, Silver Bell.—

**H. Tetraptera.** A beautiful large shrub, with pretty, white, bell-shaped flowers, in May; one of the most desirable shrubs.

**3 to 4 feet, each, 75c.**

## HAWTHORN.—

**Double White.** Has small, double white flowers; a highly ornamental variety on account of both foliage and flowers.

**6 to 8 feet, each, \$1.50.**

**Double Red, New.** Flowers in clusters; very double, large and full, and of a deep crimson color; superior to any of its color.

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**Single White.** See Hedge Plants.

## HONEYSUCKLE, BUSH.—

**Alberti.** Violet, bell-shaped flower; leaves narrow; hardy.

**3 to 4 feet, each, 75c.**

## HYDRANGEA.—

Beautiful free, flowering shrubs, bearing immense panicles or trusses of flowers; **Paniculata** is perfectly hardy and requires no protection. The other varieties require protection in severe winter, and should be grown in pots or boxes and wintered in the cellar, except in warm sections.

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**Strong clumps, each, 75c.**

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**American Red Bud.** A medium-sized tree, heart-shaped leaves. It is covered with a profusion of delicate, reddish purple flowers before the foliage appears; a very fine ornamental tree. **3 feet, each, 75c.**

**KOELREUTERIA, Varnish Tree.—**

**Koelreuteria Paniculata.** A small, exceedingly ornamental tree. It forms a flat, spreading head, has large, pinnate leaves, and early in July produces immense panicles of orange yellow flowers; desirable as an ornamental lawn tree. **3 to 4 feet, each, 75c.**

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A beautiful small-growing tree, with long, drooping racemes of fragrant yellow flowers. **6 feet, each, 75c.**

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**Styraciflua.** Has star-shaped leaves, glossy and green in summer; taking on the most intense shades of purple, orange and crimson in fall; and for this autumn aspect alone it should be grown; of stately growth; corky bark. **4 to 6 feet, each, \$1.00.**

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Close, dense-headed, rapid-growing trees. Excellent for street, park and lawn planting. **5 to 6 feet, each, 75c; 6 to 8 feet, \$1.00.**

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**Common Purple.** Flowers purple; branches lilac. **3 to 4 feet, each, 50c to 75c.**

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**Norway (Platanoides).** A large, handsome tree, with broad, deep green foliage, and of very compact growth, rendering it one of the most desirable varieties for the street, park or garden. **6 to 8 feet, each, 50c; 8 to 10 feet, 75c to \$1.00.**

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**Sycamore (Double-Leaved).** Leaves deep green on upper surface, purplish red underneath, producing a beautiful color effect when trees are in motion; fine for lawns and for grouping with other foliage trees. **5 to 6 feet, each, 60c; 8 to 9 feet, 75c.**

**MAPLES, Japanese.—**

**Japanese Maples** are becoming more popular as they become better known. They are all of dwarf habits and are varied in their foliage. They are all so shrub-like in growth, and many of them of such rich, bright hues and deep cut leaves that we class them by themselves. On account of these characteristics they are much used for forming permanent beds, but are very effective whether planted singly or in groups. We include only those we can especially recommend.

**Atropurpureum.** Large palmate leaves; deep maroon; very showy. **2 to 3 feet, each, \$1.00 to \$1.50.**

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**MAGNOLIA.—**

**Conspicua.** A Chinese species of great beauty. The tree is of medium size, shrub-like in growth while young, but attains the size of a tree in time. The flowers are large, pure white, very numerous, and appear before the leaves. **2 feet, each, \$1.00; 3 feet, each, \$1.50 to \$2.00.**

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**Obvata Discolor.** Has striking flowers, light purple, richly variegated with white. **2 feet, each, \$1.00 to \$1.50.**

**M. Grandiflora.** See page 18.

**MOUNTAIN ASH.—**

**European.** Fine tree, with dense and regular head, covered from July to winter with great clusters of bright scarlet berries. **6 to 8 feet, each 50c to 75c; 8 to 10 feet, 75c to \$1.00.**

**Weeping Ash under Weeping Trees, page 17.**

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**Tea's Russian.** Under Weeping Trees, page 17

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**Ash-Leaved Box Elder, or Manitoba Maple.** A handsome tree, with light-green, pinnated foliage and spreading head; hardy and desirable. 8 to 9 feet, each, 75c.

**Variegated.** Similar to above, but variegated with white; very attractive and should be in every lawn. 3 to 4 feet, each, \$1.00; 4 to 6 feet, each, \$1.50.

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A noble ornamental grass, easily grown, producing long, pointed leaves and majestic, silvery-white plumes, which are very valuable for winter decoration; grows 6 to 8 feet high. Strong roots, each, 60c to 75c.

Large specimen plants, \$2.00 to \$5.00.

**PAEONY.** See Flowering Roots, Page 23.

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**Prunus Pissardi.** A tree of medium size; wood and leaves dark purple. 6 to 8 feet, each, 75c to \$1.00.

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**Carolina.** Vigorous growing variety, with large, bright green leaves. 7 to 8 feet, each, 50c to 60c.

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We import these direct from Japan. They are hardy, rapid growers, and produce early in the spring, a profusion of handsome flowers of great beauty and fragrance.

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**Prunus Pissardi.** See Plum above.

**PURPLE FILBERT.—**

**Corylus.** Large bush, with large, dark purple leaves; makes a very effective contrast when planted among green-foliaged plants. 3 to 4 feet, each, 75c.

**PURPLE FRINGE, Smoke Tree.—**

**Rhus Cotinus.** Grows 10 to 12 feet high; much admired for its feathery inflorescences that cover the whole surface of the tree in midsummer. 3 to 4 feet, each, 75c.

**White Fringe.** Has drooping racemes of pure white flowers; a superb lawn tree. 3 to 4 feet, each, 75c.

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**Japonica.** Remarkable for the brilliancy of its blossoms, which vary from the richest scarlet to the most delicate blush color; the fruit is deliciously fragrant, but is not edible. 3 to 4 feet, each, 50c to 75c.

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**SNOWBALL, Viburnum.—**

**V. Sterilis.** A handsome, ornamental shrub, covered with globular heads of pure white flowers. 3 to 4 feet, each, 50c to 60c; 4 to 6 feet, 75c;

Extra Choice Bushes, \$1.00.

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**Anthony Waterer.** A handsome shrub, that blooms about the close of June; flowers red. 3 feet, each, 75c.

**Billardi.** Produces fine, rose-colored flowers and blooms nearly all summer. Strong clumps, each, 50c.

**Prunifolia—Bridal Wreath.** The pretty double white flowers are in bunches of twos and threes all along the almost-leafless stem; they usually expand about May 1. 3 feet, each, 75c.

**Thunbergii.** Of graceful habit; the branches are slender and somewhat drooping; foliage yellowish-green; flowers small, white, appearing early. 3 feet, each, \$1.00.

**TREE PAEONY.** See Flowering Roots.

**TAMARIX, Tamarisk.—**

Shrubs of light green, feathery foliage, thriving in light soil; invaluable for planting by the seashore.

**T. Africana.** Light pink flowers. 3 feet, each, 75c.

**T. Gallica—Common Tamarisk.** Very showy in bloom; pink blossoms; later than the above. 3 feet, each, 60c.

**TULIP TREE.—**

A rapid-growing tree, with rich, glossy foliage; flowers tulip shape, greenish-yellow; a fine shade tree. 4 to 6 feet, each, 75c; 6 to 8 feet, each, 75c to \$1.00.

**WALNUTS.—**

**American Black—Juglans.** Native species of great size and majestic habit; bark very dark and deeply furrowed; a very fine shade tree. 4 to 5 feet, each, 50c to 60c.

**English or French.** The cultivation of English Walnuts on the Pacific Coast is very profitable and many people are now setting out large quantities. If you do not care to set

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**Candida.** One of the best, handsome, free-flowering shrubs. Flowers pure white, borne in great profusion.

**Clumps,** 35c to 50c; 3 to 4 feet, each, 60 to 75c

**Rosea.** Of erect, compact growth; handsome, rose-colored flowers.

3 to 4 feet, each, 60c to 75c.



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**Cut-Leaved.** Charming tree. Its tall, slender, yet vigorous growth, gracefully drooping branches, silvery-white bark and delicately-cut foliage present a combination of attractive characteristics rarely met with in one tree.

6 feet, each, \$1.00; 8 to 10 feet, \$1.50; 10 to 12 feet, \$2.00.

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**Chinese Golden.** Very compact and regular in habit; the foliage assumes a beautiful golden tint in the spring.

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**ARAUCARIA, IMBRICATA.**—

**Chile Pine, or Monkey Tree.** Beautiful, regular pyramidal form; branches in whorls, spreading horizontally when young, rather ascending near the top; leaves stiff, smooth, shining, deep green, sharply pointed and entirely clothing the branchlets; the greatest ornament among conifers.

1 foot, each, \$1.50; 1½ feet, \$2.00.

**BOX.** See Hedge Plants, page 19.**CAMELLIA.**—

**Japonica.** Very beautiful, winter flowering evergreen; their handsome, shining, dark green foliage and magnificent, wax-like flowers of various colors render them indispensable for the conservatory, and well adapted for parlor or window culture; perfectly hardy in this climate, in the open ground, but should be planted in a shady place and protected the first year. We have these in three colors, **Double White, Pink and Red.**

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**Atlantica—Mt. Atlas Cedar.** A vigorous pyramidal growing tree, open and airy;

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**Tea's Russian.** Very graceful weeping tree, long, slender branches, drooping to the ground; one of the most graceful of weeping trees. 6 to 8 feet and one-year heads, each, \$1.50; four-year heads, \$3.00.

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**Kilmarnock.** A distinct variety, having reddish shoots and large, glossy foliage. They make a most desirable and graceful, drooping, small tree for lawns.

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Well-known common willow, with drooping branchlets. 5 to 6 feet, each, 60c.

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3 feet, each, \$1.50 to \$2.00.

**Deodora, or Indian.** An exceedingly handsome tree, of vigorous growth and graceful, drooping habit; foliage light silvery or glaucous green.

1 foot, each, 75c to \$1.00; 2 to 3 feet, \$1.00 to \$1.50.

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One of the finest evergreens of Japan; of both upright and drooping habit. We import a number of different varieties, all of which are suitable for lawn planting. Foliage mostly needle-like; end of branches soft and flexible.

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**CYPRESS.**—

**Lawson's.** A beautiful tree, native of this state, with elegant drooping branches and very slender, feathery branchlets.

1 foot, each, 35c; 2 to 3 feet, each, 75c to \$1.00.

**DAPHNE.**—

**Odora.** A very pretty early flowering shrub; produces pink flowers in March.

2 feet, each, \$1.00.

**Alba.** Pure white. 2 feet, each, \$1.00.

**FICUS, Elastica.** See Inside Back Cover.



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We have a fine lot of Hollies, both seedling and grafted stock. If wanted in quantity, write for special prices. We also have at different times very large, fine specimens, with or without berries, from \$10.00 up.

**English (Aquifolia).** A beautiful small tree, with prickly, dark green foliage; grows moderately fast, and is covered during the winter months with bright red berries. One of the handsomest and most popular evergreen bushes we know of. Holly branches are cut and sold in large quantities for Holiday decorations.

**Berry-bearing plants,** per foot, \$1.00; nice plants, \$2.50 to \$6.00; ordinary stock, per foot, 75c; nice plants, \$1.50 to \$3.00.

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**VARIEGATED HOLLIES.**

The variegated varieties are remarkably handsome lawn plants. The leaves are vari-ously marked with yellow or white. We offer the following distinct sorts:

**Golden-edged Margined.** Leaves splashed with pale green; narrow, but irregular, golden edge. Per foot, \$1.50.

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**Silver Margined.** Leaves long, dark green, slightly mottled, and with an irregular, narrow, silvery margin. Per foot, \$1.50.

**JUNIPER.**

**Compacta.** A dense, green, ever-growing shrub; may be trimmed into most any shape; grows about 6 to 7 feet high. 2 foot, each, \$1.00 to \$1.50.

**Irish.** A distinct and beautiful variety of erect, dense, conical outline and upright growth; short, glaucous, green foliage. 1 foot, each, 60c; 2 feet, \$1.00 to \$1.50.

**LAUREL, English.**

A fine, large evergreen, with broad, shining green leaves; produces large panicles of creamy, white flowers, followed by purple berries.

Single plants, 1 to 1½ feet, each, 60c; 2 to 3 feet, \$1.00; 4 to 6 feet, \$1.50.

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The handsomest of our winter flowering shrubs, with clusters of small, pretty, white flowers in great abundance; well adapted for ornamental planting or a hedge.

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**MAGNOLIA.**

**Grandiflora.** The most beautiful of all American evergreens. It is a native of the Southern States, but perfectly at home here. No garden is complete without it. Erect growth, pretty habit; large, rich foliage, and produces immense, extremely fragrant, pure white flowers.

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**MAHONIA AQUIFOLIA,** Oregon Grape. Native of Oregon and our State Flower. Nursery grown. 2 feet, each, 75c.

**PALMS**—Write for catalogue. See inside back cover.

**PINE.**

**Austrian, or Black Pine.** Tree remarkably robust, hardy and spreading; leaves long, stiff and dark green; growth rapid; the most valuable for this country.

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**Ponderosa, Heavy-Wooded Pine.** A noble tree; is perfectly hardy here; a rapid grower; leaves a silvery green color.

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Well known, native of California; makes a lovely specimen for the lawn; suitable also

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(Single flower, one-third natural size.) for avenue planting.

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**Grafted varieties.** Magnificent, June and July flowering, evergreen shrubs; the finest and most hardy of all evergreens; they prefer a somewhat shaded situation. There are many varieties, the flowers of which are produced in great abundance, and in shades of the following colors: **White, Blue, Purple, Cherry, Lilac, Mauve and Crimson.**

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**"Umbrella Pine."** The leaves are narrow, round, and arranged in whorls of umbrella-like tufts; is especially adapted for lawn decoration. 2 feet, each, \$1.50.

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**Excelsa, Norway Spruce.** A well-known evergreen, extensively used; it is of rapid growth; much used for hedging, as well as for single specimens, and for planting for shelter.

1 foot, each, 50c; 2 feet, 75c; 3 to 4 feet, \$1.00.

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**English (Baccata).** Small tree of slow growth and very bushy head, branched and thickly covered with sombre green leaves; can be trimmed into any shape.

1½ feet, each, \$1.00.

**Irish (Fastigiata).** Peculiarly upright in growth; foliage dark. 2 feet, each, \$1.50.

**Golden Irish.** Leaves green in the center, and margined with yellow.

1 foot, each, 75c; 1½ to 2 feet, each, \$1.50.

**YUCCA, Spanish Bayonet, or Adam's Needle.**

Has a fine appearance; the stems grow two to three feet above the ground, covered with large, bell-shaped flowers on laterals, forming a perfect pyramid; valuable for rockwork.

**Filamentosa.** Thread-leaved, creamy white; July. 2 feet, each, 75c.



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**BOX, Evergreen.**—

**Dwarf, Common.** Fine for borders, edgings, or low hedges.

**Each, 15c; 6-inch, per 100, \$10.00; large, stocky, trimmed bushes, each, 1 foot, \$1.00; 2 to 3 feet, \$2.00.**

**Variegated.** Like above, only blotched and edged with silver or gold.

**8 to 12 inches, each, 35c.**

**HAWTHORN, English.**—

Has small leaves and single white flowers. Will make a strong hedge of good size.

**2 feet, each, 20c; per 50, \$7.50; per 100, \$12.**

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**AMPELOPSIS, Virginia Creeper.**—

**Quinquefolia.** Has large, luxuriant foliage, which in autumn assumes the most gorgeous and magnificent color; one of the finest vines for covering trellises or verandas.

**Each, 35c to 50c.**

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**Each, 35c to 50c.**

**BIGNONIA GRANDIFLORA.**—

**Trumpet Vine.** A moderate climber, with large orange-scarlet flowers; very showy when in full bloom.

**Each, 75c.**

**Radicans.** Similar to preceding, but a more rapid climber.

**Each, 75c.**

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Well known among hardy vines, bearing large and beautiful flowers of various shades of color through the greater part of the summer and fall. The most desirable climbers for trellises, porches and pillars.

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**Jackmanii.** Intense violet-purple, with a rich, velvety appearance; distinctly veined. The most popular and finest Clematis we have.

**Mad. Ed. Andre.** A beautiful, new variety; flowers red, large and abundant.

**Ramona.** Fine lavender.

**Choice plants of above sorts, each, 60c; large plants, each, 75c to \$1.00, postpaid.**

**Clematis Paniculata.** A strong, rapid and vigorous grower; it produces sheets of medium-sized, pure white flowers of the most pleasing fragrance; it is perfectly hardy and

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One of our best hedge plants; has small, pointed, evergreen leaves; grows rapidly and compactly; stands severe pruning, and can be kept in fine shape with little care.

**1-year-old plants, 12 inches, each, 4c; per 50, \$1.50; per 100, \$2.50. Large plants, 1½ to 2 feet, each, 5c; per 50, \$3.00; per 100, \$5.00.**

For ornamental or large hedges, wind-breaks, boundaries, etc., we recommend the following: **Arbor Vitae, Laurel, Norway Spruce, Honey Locust, Japan Quince, Hawthorn, Laurustinus, Spiraea, Azaleas and Roses.** All described elsewhere in this catalogue. Write for prices, stating quantities needed, if wanted for hedge purposes.

well adapted for covering trellises or fences. **Choice plants, each, 25c to 50c; large, 40c to 60c.**

**CELASTRUS, Staff Tree.**—

**Scandens.** Climbing Bitter Sweet, or Wax Work. A native climbing or twining plant, with fine, large leaves; yellow flowers and clusters of orange-capsuled fruit. It grows 10 to 12 feet in a season.

**Each, 60c.**

**HONEYSUCKLE.**—

**Halleana, Japanese.** A vigorous climber, with pure white flowers, changing to yellow; evergreen; very fragrant.

**Each, 35c to 50c.**

**New Belgian, Sweet-Scented.** A magnificent, new honeysuckle—the finest yet produced; remarkable for the large size and delicious fragrance of its flowers; dark, rich red and creamy yellow; a healthy, vigorous grower, and blooms continually the whole season.

**Each, 50c.**

**IVY.**—

**Common English.** Thick, leathery, evergreen leaves; strong grower. **Good roots, each, 25c.**

**JASMINUM.**—

**Nudiflorum.** Fragrant, yellow flowers.

**Each, 50c.**

**Officinallis.** Flowers pure white, sweetly scented.

**Each, 50c.**

**WISTARIA.**—

**W. Sinensis, Chinese Wistaria.** One of the most elegant and rapid-growing of all climbing plants; grows 15 to 20 feet in a season; has long pendulous clusters of pale blue flowers in May and June and in autumn.

**Choice plants, each, 35c to 50c; large, 75c to \$1.00.**

**W. Multijuga.** Similar to above, but flowers are darker.

**Each, 75c to \$1.00.**

**W. Brachybotrys.** White flowering.

**Each, 75c to \$1.00.**



Ramona

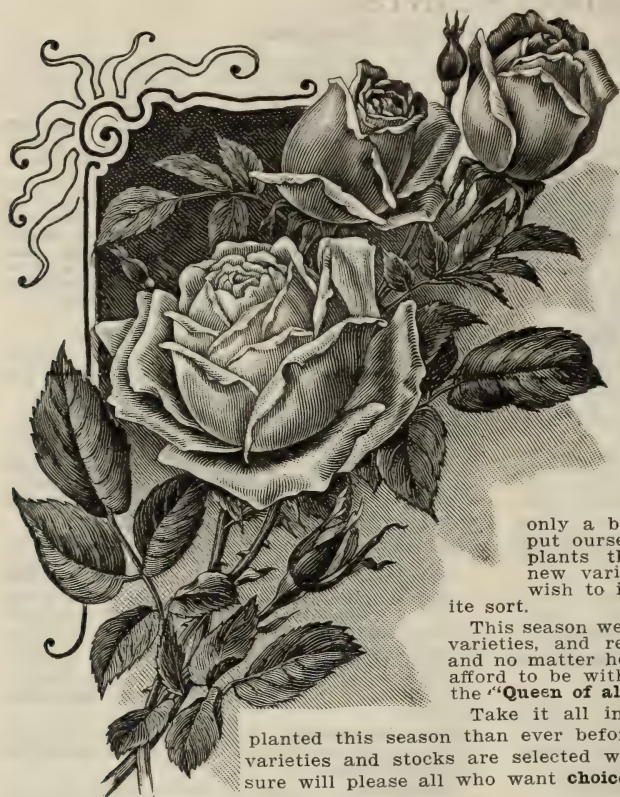
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**SPECIAL.**—One plant of each of these four handsome Clematis, postpaid, only \$2.00.





# Roses.

Portland has won for itself the name of "Rose City." A few years preceding the opening of the Lewis and Clark Exposition, a movement was started to interest every one in the planting of roses. This quickly met with approval, and thousands, yes, millions, of rose bushes were planted, all of which bloomed so profusely during this, our Fair year, that the grand sight they made will not soon be forgotten by our visitors and home people.

While large quantities of bushes have been planted, we believe it is only a beginning, and we have accordingly put ourselves in a position to furnish more plants than ever. Many, no doubt, wish new varieties they have seen, while others wish to increase the number of their favorite sort.

This season we have added a number of grand, new varieties, and recent introductions of great merit, and no matter how many you now have, you cannot afford to be without the "latest creations" in roses, the "Queen of all flowers."

Take it all in all, we expect more rose bushes planted this season than ever before, and we wish to state that our varieties and stocks are selected with the greatest care, and we are sure will please all who want **choice roses** and **lots of them**.

The following is a list of our large, field-grown, 2-year-old bushes, which can be shipped any time between October and June. These varieties are recommended for general planting. They are varieties that do well here, and produce an abundance of choice, fragrant and handsome roses.

The varieties marked with a (\*) are especially recommended, and should be in every collection.

## SHIPPING.

We always send all our 2-year-old rose bushes by express or freight at buyer's expense, packing them so they will ship safely, even though they should be on the road for two weeks or more.

If necessary, we can send small 2-year-old bushes by mail at an additional cost of 10c each, to cover postage, but in such cases we would prune the tops and roots, ready for planting, as they carry safer.

## ABBREVIATIONS.

Following the name of each sort will be noted an abbreviation denoting the class to which the variety belongs. By observing these

and reading the following descriptions of such abbreviations, any one may intelligently make selections for all sections and to suit any purpose.

### H. P.—HYBRID PERPETUAL.—

These are the hardiest of all roses; many will stand the coldest sections; vigorous in growth and easy of culture, producing large flowers, fine in form and fragrance.

### T.—TEA.—

One of the best classes of roses, and truly ever-blooming. Many of these are the most beautiful and sweetly scented; they are hardy in this section, frequently wintering without any protection, although during our coldest weather and in cold sections they should be protected with a covering of fir boughs, straw, or burlap.

### H. T.—HYBRID TEA.—

These, as a rule, are as free-flowering and as constant bloomers as the tea sorts. They are harder than the teas, but, as a rule, not so hardy as the H. P.'s. Many of this class, however, are practically hardy, and a few very hardy.

## PRICES OF ROSE BUSHES.

Unless you find a price following the description of the new varieties, our prices will be as follows:

**CHOICE**, two-year-old stock, 35c each; 6 for \$1.75; 12 for \$3.00.

**Selected**, two-year-old stock, 50c each; 6 for \$2.50; 12 for \$4.00.

**Strong**, healthy plants from 2½-inch pots, regular mail-order size, 15c each; \$1.25 per dozen, postpaid.

Parties who expect to buy roses by the hundred will do well to write us for **Special Prices**.



## NEW ROSES—ROSES OF SPECIAL MERIT.

**BABY RAMBLER—New 1905—****Mme. Norbert Levavasseur.—**

A cross between Crimson Rambler and one of the dwarf Polyanthus sorts, producing large trusses of light crimson flowers, similar to the Crimson Rambler, but instead of climbing, the plants form dwarf compact bushes, not over eighteen inches high, with clean, dark green foliage, which is never attacked by disease or insects, and is perfectly hardy; but the most unique and novel feature about it is the phenomenal freedom with which it produces its flowers. In this respect it outclasses any rose of any type known, the plant being never out of bloom from early spring until stopped by hard frost late in the autumn, and if grown indoors it will flower the year round.

**Price of field grown plants, 2-year, 75c.****BESSIE BROWN H. T.—**

Color pure white, sometimes faintly flushed pink; petals enormous and of shell shape; it is marvelous that such large flowers can be so freely produced.

**Price, 60c.****FRANZ DEEGAN (H. T.), New Ever-Blooming Rose.—**

A splendid garden rose of unusual beauty and form; strong, healthy grower. The

buds are long and pointed. The open flower is broad and full, rarely showing the center. Color, yellow; bright and pleasing. The expanding flowers reveal depths of deep golden-orange, brilliant and attractive; similar to the famous "Sunset Rose."

**Price, 75c.****RED MAMAN COCHET.—**

This is a sport from the Pink Maman Cochet, propagated by one of our rose growers. It is like the grand and popular White and Pink Cochet in everything except the color, which is an intensely bright cerise, or rose. Stock limited.

**Price, 75c each.****LADY BATTERSEA (H. T.), Red Niphetos.—**

This variety has long, oval buds, sharply pointed, very striking in form. The color is a bright, cherry crimson; an unusually showy variety. The only red rose approaching Niphetos in form.

**Price, 75c.****WINNIE DAVIS (H. T.)—**

A fine, new, American, pedigreed rose, Color, rich apricot pink, shaded to flesh at base of petals. Beautifully formed buds and flowers; vigorous and robust habit; handsome, leathery foliage, on fine, stout stems.

**Price, 75c.****THREE GRAND ROSES.**

One Choice 2-year-old plant of three following roses for \$2.00:

**FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI****(H. P.), New White.—**

This magnificent variety has taken first prizes at all the great flower shows in Europe, and is undoubtedly one of the grandest hardy, pure-white roses ever introduced. Makes splendid buds and immense flowers; perfectly double and delightfully fragrant; large, thick petals; very durable and handsome; bright, shining, green leaves, elegantly veined; a healthy, vigorous grower; entirely hardy, and a constant and abundant bloomer. Recommended by the leading rose growers of Europe as the most beautiful and satisfactory snow-white, perpetual rose ever seen.

**Price, each, 75c.****SOLEIL D'OR, Golden Sun.—**

A new, hardy, perpetual-flowering rose, obtained by hybridizing the well-known Persian Yellow and Antoine Ducher, H. P.; robust grower; brownish wood; foliage beautiful, bright green; conical-shaped buds of a lovely yellow hue; a superb color, varying from gold and orange-yellow to reddish-gold, and shaded with Nas-turtium red; also good in the autumn.

**Price, 75c.****GENERAL MacARTHUR (H. T.)****New Scarlet.—**

We take pleasure in offering this fine, new rose, confident that it will please. It has had a thorough test the past season in the hands of numerous experienced rose growers, and been placed before critical judges who failed to find the slightest defect in it as an all-round garden rose. It has been thoroughly tested, both outdoors and in greenhouses, and we are fully convinced that it is a grand improvement in the class of ever-blooming, hardy red roses. In color, it is the brightest among all roses, being a vivid crimson-scarlet; a free grower; very vigorous, hardy and healthy.

**Price, each, 75c.****Frau Karl Druschki.**

## ROSES.—Continued.

**\*AMERICAN BEAUTY (H. P.)—**

One of the largest, sweetest and best of all hardy roses. It is a quick grower, constant bloomer, making magnificent buds and large, bold flowers. Color, rich, rosy, crimson, shaded and veined in the most charming manner.

**BABY RAMBLER. See page 21.****\*BARONESS ROTHSCHILD**

(H. P.)—

Flowers of immense size and fine, globular form, somewhat cupped; color, bright, rosy pink; very handsome.

**\*BARON DE BONSTETTIN**

(H. P.)—

Splendid, large flowers, very double and full; color, rich, dark red, passing to deep, dark, velvety maroon.

**BELLE SIEBRECHT (H. T.)—**

A true, solid pink of the richest shade; a rare color. The flowers are sweetly perfumed, and large, beautifully formed, of long, tapering shape, with high center, and when half-blown the petals reflex in a graceful manner.

**BESSIE BROWN (H. T.) See page 21.****BLACK PRINCE (H. P.)—**

Much sought after because of its splendid dark crimson flowers, which are shaded so deeply as to be almost black. Cupped, large, full, fine shape.

**BON SILENE (T.)—**

The buds are very handsome and produced in great profusion. Color, dark, rosy carmine. A general favorite.

**\*BRIDESMAID (T.)—**

A fine, clear, dark pink, the counterpart of Catherine Mermet in size and shape of flowers and habit of growth, but much deeper in color and vastly more beautiful.

**CATHERINE MERMET (T.)—**

A very beautiful tea rose, valued highly for its beautiful buds; faultless in form, and charming in every shade of color, from the purest silvery rose to the exquisite blend of yellow and rose, which illumines the base of the petals.

**CAPTAIN CHRISTY (H. P.)—**

Color, a lovely shade of pale peach, deepening at the center to a rosy crimson; flowers very large, sweet and exquisitely beautiful.

**COQUETTE DE LYON (T.)—**

Lovely canary yellow; immense bloomer; elegant for bedding; one of the best bright yellow roses; blooms quickly and profusely the whole season.

**DUCHESS DE BRABANT (T.)—**

Color, a soft, rosy flesh, changing to deep rose, shaded amber and salmon; delightful tea scent; beautiful buds and flowers; a rose having every desirable quality.

**FRANZ DEEGAN. See page 21.****FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI. See page 21.****ETOILE DE LYON (T.). See cut.**

This is considered one of the hardest and best yellow bedding roses in the Tea section. It blooms freely, and every flower is a gem, equaling the Marechal Neil in size. Very sweet scented; color, rich, golden yellow.

**\*GENERAL JACQUEMINOT (H. P.)—**

Bright, shining crimson; very rich and velvety; exceedingly brilliant and handsome; makes magnificent buds, and is highly es-

**Etoile De Lyon.**

teemed as one of the best and most desirable for open ground.

**GENERAL MacARTHUR. See page 21.****GLOIRE LYONAISE (H. T.) —**

Color, chamoise yellow; deepest at the center, passing to creamy white; large, full, sweet and very distinct.

**\*GOLDEN GATE (T.). See cut, page 23.**

Creamy white; center and base of petals soft golden yellow, exquisitely bordered with clear rose; buds long and pointed. Its extraordinary size and free-blooming qualities commend it to every one who wishes the finest roses.

**GRUSS AN TEPLITZ, New Rose (H. P.)**

This new variety should be in every collection. When first opened it is a rich, dark crimson, quickly changing to a velvety, fiery red; strong grower; blooms continuously; flowers good size and delightfully fragrant.

**HELEN GOULD (T.)—**

An elegant new variety of the popular Hybrid Tea class. Flowers very large and full; produced in wonderful profusion; color, bright, glowing carmine, of a most beautiful shade.

**HERMOSA (H. T.)—**

An excellent rose; blooms in fine clusters; large, very double, and fragrant; color, beautiful clear rose; a constant bloomer; hardy.

**HOMER (T.)—**

Beautiful folded buds of a light rose color; often peculiarly spotted with white; a fine bedder; very handsome and distinct.

April 30, 1905.

Portland Seed Co.—Gentlemen: Rose bushes received all O. K., and are doing nicely. C. D. WILSON, Chitwood, Ore.



**ISABELLA SPRUNT (T.)—**

Bright, canary yellow; large, beautiful buds; valuable for cut flowers; very sweet, tea scent; profuse bloomer.

**\*KAISERIN AUG. VICTORIA (H. T.)**

Color, pure white. A grand garden rose, on account of its vigorous growth and hardness. Very popular. (See cut, page 25, and outside back cover.)

**\*LA FRANCE (H. T.)—**

Perhaps no rose is better known or more highly valued than La France. Both flowers and buds are of grand size. Color, a silvery rose, changing to pink. A general favorite, and the sweetest of all roses.

**LADY BATTERSEA. See page 21.****LIBERTY. New Rose (H. T.)—**

Color, rich, fiery ruby, shaded deep crimson; fragrance exquisite; without doubt the finest ever-blooming rose in existence.

**MABEL MORRISON.—**

Of the purest white; velvety in its appearance; petals thick and shell-shaped; very double, and rounded for



Golden Gate (See Page 22).

**\*MADAME CAROLINE TESTOUT (H. T.)—**

Probably no rose stands higher in public estimation today than La France, and when we say this elegant new rose is a far better rose than La France, we have said about all that can be said. It is decidedly deeper and more brilliant in color and a larger flower, and is as good in other ways. The petals are large, and of elegant form; exquisitely edged and bordered with clear silver rose. Both flowers and buds are extra large and of very elegant form; color is brilliant, satiny rose.

**MADAME FRANCISCA KRUGER (T.)—**

The striking color of this handsome rose places it at the front as a bud-producer in the open ground. It is closely allied to Catherine Mermet in everything save color, which is deeply shaded, coppery yellow.

**MADAME HOSTE (T.)**

Creamy yellow, with deep buff yellow center; very large and delicately sweet; a constant and profuse bloomer; one of the finest sorts in cultivation.

**\*MADAME WELCHE (T.)—**

Will give universal satisfaction for outdoor planting. Flowers have great depth and substance; globular form. Color, a beautiful shade of soft amber-yellow, deepening towards the center to orange or coppery-yellow, delicately tinged and clouded with a pale, ruddy crimson.

**\*MAGNA CHARTA (H. P.)—**

Pink, suffused with carmine; full, globular flowers; very large and double; one of the very finest.

**\*MARIE VAN HOUTTE (T.)—**

Of a fine, faultless straw-yellow color; outer petals washed and outlined with a bright, rosy carmine.



Mad. Caroline Testout.



## ROSES—Continued.

**MARGARET DICKSON (H. P.)—**

Of magnificent form; white, with pale flesh center; petals very large, shell-shaped, and of great substance; fragrant; a very promising variety; foliage very large, dark green.

**\*MAMAN COCHET (T.)—**

This is one of the most beautiful new tea roses we list; extensively planted and very popular. The color is a deep, rosy pink, the inner side of petals silvery rose. Makes charming bunches of long-stemmed flowers when cut. (See cut.)

**METEOR (T.)—**

Remarkably rich, dark, velvety crimson, with no tinge of purple to mar its beauty; curving; it is a vigorous, bushy grower, with healthy, bright foliage of the deepest green.

**MRS. JOHN LAING (H. P.)—**

Very free flowering, commencing to bloom early in the season and continuing to bloom profusely until late autumn; color, a soft, delicate pink, with satiny tinge.

**NIPHETOS (T.)—**

Large, graceful buds of snow white, remaining in perfect form for many days. No other rose bears buds of this peculiar and elegant form, or that are so enduring.

**\*PAPA GONTIER (T.)—**

Large and semi-double; a vivid cherry red color, shaded yellow; reverse of petals crimson; one of the very best and most valuable for open ground. No other red tea rose can compare with it.



Perle des Jardins.

**\*PAUL NEYRON (H. P.)—**

Deep, shining rose, double and handsomely formed; blooms freely and is unusually strong and vigorous; the largest variety in existence, and one of the most desirable for the garden.

**\*PERLE DES JARDINS (T.)—**

This magnificent yellow tea rose still retains its position as one of the finest and most beautiful roses of its color ever produced. The color is a clear, golden yellow, an indescribably rich and beautiful shade, and entirely distinct from any other variety. (See cut.)

**\*PRINCE CAMILLE DE RO-****HAN (H. P.)—**

Very dark, rich, velvety crimson, passing to intense maroon, shaded black; one of the darkest roses, and very handsome; regarded as the best of its color.

**RAINBOW (T.)—**

Beautiful buds and flowers of large size; color, a beautiful shade of deep pink, distinctly striped and mottled with brilliant crimson, elegantly shaded and toned with rich amber; very fragrant and exquisitely beautiful.

**RED MAMAN COCHET.**

See page 21.

**RED NIPHITOS.**

See page 21.

**SAFRANO (T.)—**

Bright apricot, yellow, tinged orange and fawn; valued highly for its beautiful buds; very profuse in bloom, and deliciously tea scented.



Maman Cochet.



**SUNSET (T.)—**

This grand rose is a favorite wherever known. The color is a rich, golden amber, or old gold, elegantly shaded, and buds are extra large, full, finely formed and deliciously perfumed.

**SOLEIL D'OR. See page 21.****\*THE BRIDE (T.)—**

The finest white rose ever offered. The buds are very large and of exquisite form, and the full flower is very double, measuring four inches in diameter.

**\*ULRICH BRUNNER (H. P.)—**

This is really a magnificent rose; extra large, bold flowers, full and globular; petals large and of good substance; color rich, glowing crimson, elegantly flamed with scarlet; a good grower and free bloomer.

**VISCOUNTESS FOLKSTONE****(H. T.)—**

Flowers borne on strong stems, with thick foliage; color, delicately tinted flesh, almost white, with beautiful satin finish.

**VICK'S CAPRICE (H. P.)—**

Vigorous grower and bears large, fragrant flowers of bright rose, distinctly striped white. It is altogether a most unique and pretty variety. A rose that is sure to attract attention; free bloomer.

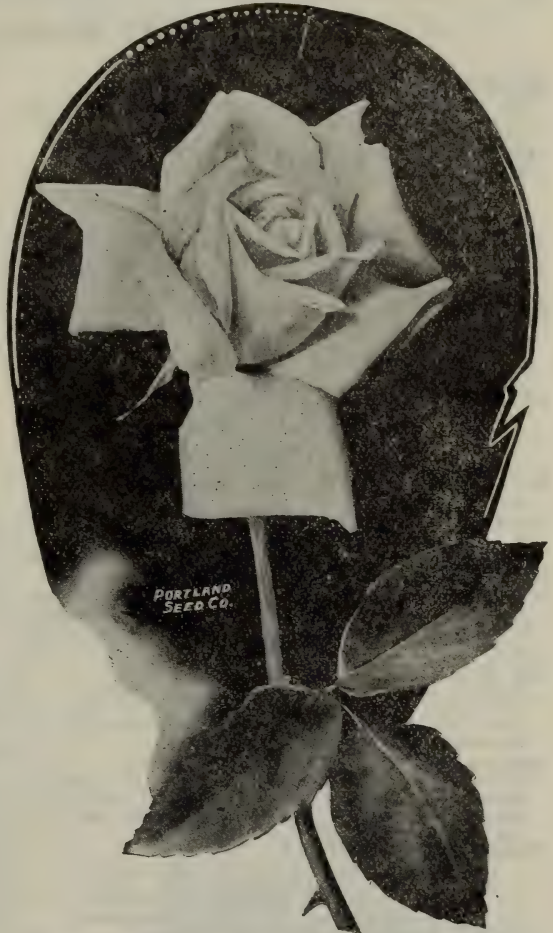
**VIRGINIA R. COXE.—**

Color, fiery crimson, with a dark, velvety sheen, very fragrant. The freest blooming rose in existence. The mass of color produced is wonderful, and the handsome foliage adds materially to its appearance.

**WINNIE DAVIS. See page 21.****\*WHITE MAMAN COCHET (T.)—**

The name describes this new rose—pure white, grand substance, immense size, exquisitely fragrant and a free bloomer; buds long and pointed, keeping a long time when cut. (See cut.)

Our 1906 108-Page Spring Catalog will contain a list of some of the very latest roses. These can be obtained in small plants only.

**Kaiserin Augusta Victoria. (See Page 23.)****\*WHITE LA FRANCE (T.)—**

This magnificent rose is a pure white La France, having just a breath of rose-tinted blush, decidedly clouding the depths of its broad petals; the buds and flowers are extra large, very full and finely formed; the fragrance is delicious.

**CLIMBING ROSES.****BEAUTY OF GLAZENWOOD.—**

Bronzed yellow, or copper and fawn color; one of our grandest climbing roses; very hardy and a free bloomer; very popular all over the Pacific Coast.

**CHROMATELLA, Cloth of Gold.—**

A clear, golden yellow; large, very full and double; highly fragrant; highly prized in the South for pillars and verandas. We have the true variety.

**CLIMBING BRIDESMAID.—**

A rampant climber, making a growth of ten to fifteen feet in a single season, and producing such quantities of fine, large, dark pink flowers as to simply smother the plant.

**\*CLIMBING KAISERIN, Mrs. Robt. Peary.—**

Flowers fine ivory white, of heavy texture,

and largest size; a grand addition to our list of climbing roses.

**CLIMBING LA FRANCE.—**

Identical with the well-known La France, except that it has a vigorous climbing habit; a rampant climber, flowering continuously all the season; one of the finest climbing roses.

**CLIMBING METEOR.—**

A strong, free-growing climbing rose, that, under favorable conditions, will make shoots twelve to fifteen feet in a single season; very free-flowering, producing all through the growing season its rich, dark, velvety crimson flowers, perfectly double, and in size and appearance equal to the best hybrid perpetuals.

## CLIMBING ROSES.—Continued

**CLIMBING NIPHETOS.—**

An elegant rose; makes immense, long buds of a snowy white color, sometimes slightly tinged pale lemon.

**CLIMBING PERLE DES JARDINS.—**

Same as the grand old Perle des Jardins and equally good in every way, but of vigorous climbing habit; flowers, golden yellow, of immense size.

**CLIMBING SAFRANO, Solfaterre.—**

A beautiful pillar rose, being a strong climber; color, orange yellow, or deep saffron; good size, full and sweet.

**CLIMBING MAD. C. TESTOUT.—**

A most wonderful rose, an exact counterpart of that grand rose, Mad. Caroline Testout, except that it is a vigorous climber; bright, clear pink in color.

Price, 75c.

**CLIMBING WOOTTON.—**

A climbing variety of this fine red rose that is bound to be very popular. It is a very strong, rapid grower, throwing long, thick canes and bearing large clusters of true Woottons.

**GOLD OF OPHIR.** See Beauty of Glazenwood, page 25.**DOROTHY PERKINS, New.—**

Beautiful shell-pink in immense clusters; quite full and double.

Price, 50c.

**\*GLOIRE DE DIJON.—**

Noted for the great size of its flowers, its delicate tea scent, and its shades of color, being a blending of amber, carmine and cream; a magnificent climber.

**LA MARQUE.—**

Flowers of good size, borne in large clusters, which are the distinctive features of the rose. Established plants bear thousands of blossoms; color, pure white.

**\*MADAME ALFRED CARRIERE.—**

Extra large, full flowers, very double and sweet, and a most profuse bloomer; color, rich, creamy white, faintly tinged pale yellow.

**\*MARECHAL NEIL.—**

A magnificent, deep golden-yellow variety; so famous as to need no description; grown the world over for its immense yellow flowers; the finest rose of its color in existence.

**\*REINE MARIE HENRIETTE.—**

A strong, vigorous grower; flowers large, full, and of fine form; color, glowing crimson, elegantly shaded; one of the best climbers.

**REVE D'OR.—**

A splendid, robust climber, with the very best of foliage; color, apricot yellow, with orange and fawn tints; petals of superb and delicate texture; flowers moderately full; always pretty and graceful, whether in bud or full open; a very profuse bloomer.

**WILLIAM A. RICHARDSON.—**

Color, rich coppery yellow, flushed with carmine; a very beautiful variety, having few equals.



Crimson Rambler (One Cluster).

**THE FIVE RAMBLERS.****CRIMSON RAMBLER.—**

A charming, hardy pillar rose. The flowers grow in great pyramidal panicles, each carrying 30 to 40 blooms; the flowers are 1 to 1½ inches in diameter, and remain in perfect condition on the plants for a long time. The color is a bright, vivid crimson, showing none of the purplish tint so commonly seen in crimson roses. A very vigorous grower, and makes a fine show. The most popular of the Ramblers.

**PINK RAMBLER.—**

Beautiful bright pink, tinged with creamy yellow.

**PHILADELPHIA RAMBLER.—**

New, deep, rich crimson, even more intense than the famous Crimson Rambler; blooms in grand clusters, in such numbers as to make the bush appear to be a sheet bloom.

Price, 50c.

**YELLOW RAMBLER.—**

A new, hardy, yellow, climbing rose, blooming after the same manner as Crimson Rambler, in large clusters.

**WHITE RAMBLER.—**

In habit of growth, foliage, manner of blooming, form of flowers and hardness, it is said to be identical with Crimson Rambler, except that the flowers are pure snow-white and sweetly scented.

**STANDARD OR TREE ROSES.**

Tree Roses are budded or grafted on hardy rose stocks about four feet high. They soon make good-sized heads, forming a small tree, especially desirable for planting as single specimens, in backgrounds or rows along walks or driveways.

We do not always have all of the leading varieties in Standards, but can almost always supply any of the leading colors, such as red, pink, yellow and white. We also have some of the Climbers budded on four to five-foot stocks. These are very desirable and quite a novelty, as they form what might be classed as a Weeping Rose Tree.

Order any color or variety you wish and we will send it or give you as good a substitute as possible. We aim to have the following varieties in stock: La France, Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, Madam Caroline Testout, Marie Van Houtte, Niphetos, Perle des Jardins, Safrano, Ulrich Brunner, Viscountess Folkstone, Coquets, Crimson and Yellow Ramblers.

Price of all Tree or Standard Roses, \$1.50 to \$2.00 each, according to size of head.



## FLOWERING BULBS, ETC.

## IRIS.

Magnificent plants for the garden. They bloom profusely, and are exceedingly showy and fragrant. The colors are brilliant and cover a wide range of different shades and combinations. In the open ground they are perfectly hardy, increase rapidly and make a magnificent display, either in clumps or borders. They do best in rich, moist soils.

## JAPAN IRIS (Kaempferi).

The Japanese Iris is quite distinct from all others and never fails to excite the admiration of all who see it. It is becoming more popular each year. The enormous flowers display a marvelous blending of rich and rare shades of violet, blue, crimson, white and yellow. It would take pages to describe the beauty of the following named kinds. We merely give general color effect; first color given, predominating. All are double unless otherwise marked (See cut).

**Nosora**—White, shaded and marked sky-blue, yellow and lavender.

**Kumo**—Dark lavender, shaded and marked yellow, white, lilac; single.

**Hoojo**—Ruddy crimson, shaded and marked white and purple.

**Sofu**—White, shaded and marked violet and sky-blue.

**Nishiki**—Claret red, shaded and marked white and orange.

**Yomo**—Lavender, shaded and marked blue, yellow and red.

**Funjin**—Purple, shaded and marked navy blue and orange.

**Isho**—Vinous-purple, shaded and marked gray, crimson, violet.

**Ujino**—Purple, shaded and marked orange, claret, gray; single.

**Shimoyo**—Gray, shaded and marked lavender, yellow, white.

Prices of above varieties, strong clumps,

Each, 20c; dozen, \$2.00; 100, \$15.00.

Extra choice, mixed, good assortment,

Each, 15c; dozen, \$1.50; 100, \$10.00.



Japan Iris.

## SPANISH IRIS (Iris Hispanica).

One of the most satisfactory varieties of Iris to grow, being very hardy, and equally good for forcing indoors or garden culture. The flowers are of great beauty, having many different blendings of color, and if cut when in the bud will last a long time in water. We offer the following named sorts:

**Blanche Fleur**—A grand, white variety, having great substance in the flowers.

**Yellow Prince**—Extra fine, golden yellow, one of the best for forcing and outdoor; grand pure stock.

**Count of Nassau**—The finest dark blue in cultivation. The flower has an agreeable Honeysuckle-like perfume. A new and rare sort; very fine.

**Louise**—A beautiful shade of light blue, large, splendid flower. Always attracts great attention, the finest of its color and a grand variety.

Any of the above new sorts,

Each, 5c; dozen, 40c; 100, \$2.00.

Mixed varieties, good assortment,

Each, 3c; dozen, 25c; 100, \$1.50.

## GERMAN IRIS (Iris Germanica).

These are perfectly hardy; thrive anywhere; grow and bloom luxuriantly; remarkably rich and beautiful in color and graceful in form. Plants well established produce from 50 to 100 spikes of bloom, deliciously fragrant and fine for cutting

**Donna Maria**—Early, white and lilac.

**Johan de Witt**—Lavender and plum.

**Shakespeare**—Yellow, bronze and purple.

**Honorable**—Yellow and brownish.

**Spectabilis**—Early, deep purple.

Prices of any above sorts,

Each, 12c; dozen, \$1.25; 100, \$6.00.

Mixed varieties, each, 10c; doz., \$1.00; 100, \$5.00.



German Iris.

## ENGLISH IRIS (Anglica).

Beautiful, attractive and worthy of a place in every garden. Their large, peculiarly-shaped flowers remind one of rare orchids. This variety has large flowers of purple, violet, lilac, rose, pink and white shades, and a few spotted.

Named sorts, Each, 6c; doz., 60c; 100, \$4.00

Mixed varieties, Each, 5c; doz., 50c; 100, \$3.00

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## CANNAS.

Where brightest and most imposing effects are desired in bedding, the Canna is unequalled. Their large, green, palm-like leaves and immense spikes of bright-colored flowers make a handsome and rich display. They are of easy culture, growing well in any good garden soil. Planted in the early spring, they soon flower, and remain so until cut down by frosts in the fall. Recent years have wrought wonderful improvement in Cannas, increasing their beauty a hundred fold. Bulbs ready any time from November to June.

Named varieties, in separate colors,  
Mixed Cannas,

Each, 20c; dozen, \$2.00  
Each, 15c; dozen, \$1.50

For full description of named varieties of Cannas, Dahlias, etc., see our 108-page Annual Catalog.



Canna.

## PAEONIAS.

### Double.

The development and increase in popularity of the Paeonia has been unparalleled among flowers. These noble plants are exceedingly effective; the profusion and duration of bloom, combined with handsome, massive foliage, accommodating habit and easy culture, render them one of the most popular hardy plants grown for lawn and garden decoration, or for mingling with shrubs or herbaceous plants in borders and wild gardens. The flowers are large, massive, perfect in outline and most beautiful.

As cutting material the Herbaceous Paeonia can scarcely be surpassed, and no flower surpasses them when a loose arrangement is wanted in a large vase. They are perfectly hardy, requiring no protection whatever even in the most severe climate; are not troubled with insect pests or disease of any kind, and once planted take care of themselves, increasing in beauty each year.



Double Paeony  
(Half Natural Size).

## DOUBLE HERBACEOUS PAEONIAS.

**Festiva Maxima**—A rare variety of great beauty. Exceedingly showy and of large size; flowers perfectly double; pure, snowy white-tipped or flaked with small crimson spots at center; petals fine as summer silk; finest white in cultivation. **Price, 75c.**

**Golden Harvest**—Nearest approach to yellow; shows some pink while in bud, but as soon as it opens, turns to a creamy yellow, with a few red tips; a fine, free-bloomer and a grand flower; mid-season. **Price, 60c.**

**Queen Victoria**—A full, strong, white with yellowish-tinted center; a very popular variety among florists on account of good shipping and keeping qualities. **Price, 30c.**

**Jubilee**—White, edged with crimson; semi-double; very showy and pretty. **Price, 50c.**

**L'Esperance**—Blossoms just after the Official varieties; tall, robust grower; good bloomer; flowers fragrant and of a good pink color. Sometimes the outer petals are striped white.

**Grandiflora Rubra**—Flowers large and dou-

ble; color, blood-red; earlier than others; generally in bloom for Decoration Day. **Price, 30c.**

**Fragrance**—Late; color, deep rose; fragrant and a very prolific bloomer; in fact, produces more blooms than any variety of which we know; tall grower. **Price, 30c.**

**Officinalis Rubra**—Flowers of a bright scarlet crimson; quite double and globular; very early, rare and fine. **Price, 30c.**

**Mutabilis Alba**—The white of the Officialis type; blooms with Officialis Rubra; flowers large and handsome. When Alba first opens it is light pink, fading to white as flowers get older. **Price, 40c.**

**Sappho**—Handsome, large red or crimson; full and double. **Price, 30c.**

**White Cloud**—A handsome, double white. **Price, 30c.**

**Argus**—Fine pink, very full and double; bush rather dwarf. **Price, 30c.**

**Formosa**—Light pink, yellow center; full and double. **Price, 30c.**



## PAEONIAS—Continued. PAEONY MOUNTAN.

(Tree Paeony.)

This Paeony is extensively grown by the Japanese and grows about four feet high, forming a small, tree-shaped shrub. The handsome, double flowers are of enormous size and rich in colors. When this plant becomes well established and is covered with dozens of massive blooms, it presents a magnificent display. We have six of the finest named kinds in the following colors: **Crimson, Pink, White, Scarlet, Rose and Variegated.**

By express at buyer's expense (too heavy to mail). Strong, imported roots, each, 75c; large, nursery-grown plants, 1½ to 2 feet, each, \$1.50.

## GLADIOLI.

Gladioli are the most satisfactory, desirable and popular of all garden bulbs. Nothing else of the kind costs so little, grows and blooms so readily in any soil or climate as Gladioli. They thrive and bloom with the least care and attention, and make a display which for brilliancy and beauty of coloring few bulbs can equal and none surpass. Our collections contain many of the finest and highest-priced sorts. Gladioli are of the simplest culture. Plant any time from March to June.



**Gladiolus (Bulb and Flower).**

**Gladioli, Fine Mixed.**—This mixture is composed of a splendid assortment and will produce a large variety of flowers at a little expense; unequalled for the price.

Large bulbs, **Two for 15c; dozen, 75c.**  
Second size, **Dozen, 50c.**

**Gladioli Childsii.**—The flowers of this improved strain are of grand size and are borne on tall stalks. The colors are very showy, containing a large percent of red and dark shades; choice, mixed, including many named varieties:

Large bulbs, **Each, 10c; dozen, \$1.00.**  
Second size, **Each, 8c; dozen, 75c.**

**Gladioli Lemoinei.**—These have odd and fantastic markings, embracing a grand range of the most brilliant and showy colors, mostly light colors; very fine mixed.

Large bulbs, **Each, 10c; dozen, \$1.00.**  
Second size, **Each, 8c; dozen, 75c.**

**Gold Medal Collection.**—This collection contains over 25 distinct colors, mostly of light shades. Some are creamy white, splashed or shaded red on the lower petals; very showy and handsome.

Large bulbs, **Each, 12½c; dozen, \$1.25.**  
Second size, **Each, 10c; dozen, \$1.00.**

**Plant Gladioli.**—They come into bloom at a season when other flowers are scarce. No flower is finer for cutting for bouquets.



**Tree Paeony.  
BLEEDING HEART.  
(Dicentra.)**

One of the most ornamental of hardy spring flowering plants, with elegant, green foliage and long, drooping racemes of heart-shaped flowers. This is deemed one of the finest of all hardy garden plants.

Strong roots, **Each, 30c.**



**Bleeding Heart (Dicentra).**

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Mrs. Peart.  
(This is semi-double. Most Cactus Dahlias are full to the center.)

### MIXED DAHLIAS.

A mixture of many fine sorts unnamed.  
Price, each, 15c; two for 25c; per dozen, \$1.25.

Portland Seed Co.'s Extra Select Grade

### LILY OF THE VALLEY.

One of the most charming spring flowering plants, producing in profusion its delicate bell-shaped, delightfully fragrant, white flowers. It will thrive in any common soil, and will do well in shady situations, where few other plants will succeed. Highly prized for cutting purposes, and exceedingly well adapted for flowering in pots in the winter. Can be forced to bloom in four to six weeks from time of planting.

It is perfectly hardy and most charming planted in beds or borders around the lawn, where they can remain, increase and bloom from year to year.

Extra good, strong, carefully harvested pips, sure to produce magnificent flower spikes.

Each, 5c; dozen, 40c; per 100, \$2.50.

### CALLA LILIES.

Lily of the Nile.

The old favorite White Calla Lily is too well known to require any description. Plant one bulb to a six-inch pot, give an abundance of water, light and heat, and the result will be most satisfactory.

Dry roots, superior for forcing and winter-flowering purposes:

First size bulbs, each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.  
Extra size bulbs, each, 20c.

## DAHLIAS.

The Dahlia is one of the most popular summer and fall flowering bulbs and a great favorite of many. The flowers are showy and gorgeous, and produced in great profusion. The latest introductions are marvels of beauty; fine for bouquets and decorations. Dahlias commence to bloom in July and continue until cut down by severe frost. Plant in the spring.

### PERFECTION COLLECTION OF CACTUS DAHLIAS.

The Cactus is the most popular Dahlia of today. The following varieties are nearly all Cactus and should please all.

Price, 20c each; full set, postpaid.

**Captivation**—Rich salmon, shaded pink; petals long, narrow, and pointed; a profuse bloomer.

**Gorgeous**—Narrow-pointed petals; rich glistening crimson, overlaid with dark velvety maroon.

**Mrs. Chas. Turner**—Pointed petals; perfect in form; bright, lemon yellow.

**Mrs. Peart**—Creamy white; petals long and narrow; distinct; handsome. (See cut.)

**Oriental**—Magnificent, light pink flowers.

**Sensation**—Color a clear, bright orange; petals long and curved toward the center.

**Sunlight**—A lovely, yellow Cactus.

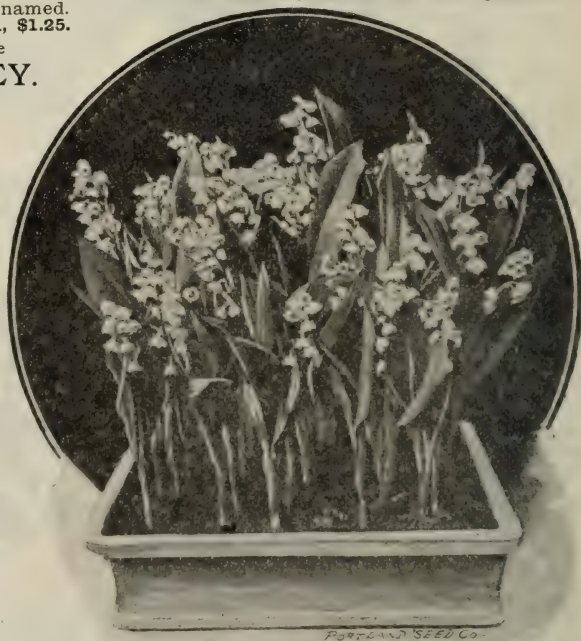
**Grand Duke of Alexis**—A large, white, sometimes tinted lavender.

**Mrs. Winters**—Of fine form; compact; best pure white of its kind; fine for cutting.

**Prima Donna**—A beautiful pink; open form.

**Yellow Prince**—A large, handsome yellow.

**Fire Brand**—A rich, glowing scarlet; open form and shape; petals broad and quilled.



Lily of the Valley.

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Single Flower, One-Third Natural Size.

**Liliium Auratum**—The handsomest and probably the most popular of the Japan Lilies. Its immense ivory-white flowers are thickly studded with yellow and crimson spots, while in the center of each petal is a golden band fading at its edges into the white; very fragrant.

Mammoth bulbs, Each, 20c; dozen, \$2.00  
Large bulbs, Each, 15c; dozen, \$1.50.

**Auratum Pictum**—Pure white, with red and yellow band; large and showy. One of the best. Each, 30c; dozen, \$3.00.

**Auratum Platyphyllum** (Macranthum)—Similar to the Auratum, but larger and finer flowers. First size bulbs, Each, 35c; dozen, \$3.00.  
Second size bulbs, Each, 25c; dozen, \$2.50.

**Auratum Rubro-Vittatum**—White, with a crimson stripe through the center of each petal; very fragrant and handsome. Each, 50c; dozen, \$5.00.

**Auratum Virginal Album**—Large flowers, with yellow band studded with white spots. Each, 30c; dozen, \$3.00.

**Brownii**—Trumpet shape, cream inside, purplish outside; flowers large and beautiful. Each, 60c; dozen, \$6.00.

**Elegans Atrosanguineum**—Dark, blood-red, erect, open flower. Each, 20c; dozen, \$2.00.

**Elegans Incomparable**—Richest red lily known; very showy; easily grown. Each, 15c; dozen, \$1.50.

**Elegans Semipleno**—Flower red with fringed erect petals, tipped with white in center of flower; very pretty. Each, 20c; dozen, \$2.00.

**Krameri**—Trumpet-shaped; soft, beautiful rose color. Each, 15c; dozen, \$1.50.

**Tigrinum Flore Pleno** (Double Tiger Lily)—This is a magnificent lily of stately habit.

## LILIES.

Do not overlook the Lilies. They are the most fragrant, beautiful and stately of all outdoor flowers, and require very little care. Do not disturb them oftener than every five years. Plant in the fall or spring, about 6 inches deep. The *Harrissii* and *Longiflorum* Lilies force very easily. The *Speciosum* are, next to the *Auratums*, the most magnificent species for outdoor culture.

### LILIUM HARRISSII.

The True Bermuda Easter Lily.

The flowers are delightfully fragrant, pure waxy-white, of great substance. Plant one bulb in a six-inch pot.

Mammoth bulbs, each, 30c; doz., \$3.00.  
Large bulbs, each, 25c; doz., \$2.00.

### LILIUM LONGIFLORUM.

Very much like the *Liliium Harrissii*, but the flowers are of better substance and more extensively planted. When grown in the open ground they bloom in June and July. Can be planted in the spring or fall. Mammoth bulbs, each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.  
Large bulbs, each, 12c; doz., \$1.25.

### LILIUM CANDIDUM.

**St. Joseph's Lily.**—This is the ever popular, fragrant, snow-white, hardy, garden Lily. It grows 4 to 5 feet high, and blooms in the open ground in June.

First size, Each, 20c; doz., \$2.00  
Second size, Each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.

bearing immense clusters of very large, double flowers on tall, strong stems; color, bright orange-red, spotted with black.

**Tigrinum Splendens** (Improved Single Tiger Lily)—Has very large flowers of excellent form; color, orange-salmon, with dark spots. First size bulbs, Each, 15c; dozen, \$1.50.  
Second size bulbs, Each, 12c; dozen, \$1.25.

**Washingtonianum**, Mt. Hood Lily—A beautiful lily, native of Oregon; flower of open form; white, tinted with lilac. Choice bulbs, Each, 15c; dozen, \$1.50.

**Wittei**—A magnificent, immense flower, widely expanded; color, purest white, with a wide, yellow stripe through the center of each petal; very free blooming.

Each, 15c; dozen, \$1.50.

### LILIUM SPECIOSUM.

No words can overstate the brilliant beauty of this charming variety. The graceful form, brilliant color and exquisite fragrance make this one of the most effective and desirable of the lily family.

**Speciosum Album**—Pure white; flowers freely.

First size bulbs, Each, 25c; dozen, \$2.50.  
Second size, Each, 20c; dozen, \$2.00.

**Speciosum Rubrum**—White, with dark rose spots.

First size bulbs, Each, 20c; dozen, \$2.00.  
Second size, Each, 15c; dozen, \$1.50.

**Speciosum Rubrum Melpomene**—White shaded, rich blood-crimson; heavily spotted.

First size bulbs, Each, 20c; dozen, \$2.00.  
Second size, Each, 15c; dozen, \$1.50.

### FLOWER POTS.

Don't forget! We sell the finest Red Clay Flower Pots made, and have them by the thousands. Prices on request.

Our Complete Catalogue of Flowering Bulbs, Etc., Free on Request.



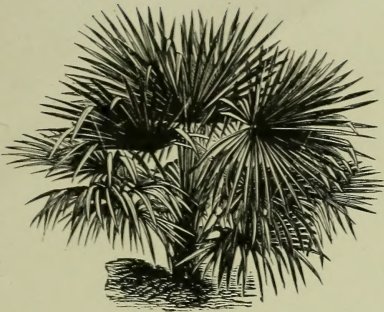
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# PALMS.



**Chamaerops Excelsa.**

## CHAMAEROPS EXCELSA.

Leaves fan-shaped, deeply cut. One of the hardiest palms we have and worthy of extensive culture. Very ornamental, a symmetrical grower, and has very handsome, palmate leaves. Choice plants, 18 inches and up, **Each, \$1.00 to \$3.00**

## CHAMAEROPS FORTUNEI.

A handsome palm, similar to the above, more dwarf in growth and with smaller hard leaves. We import the Chamaerops, Chinensis and Cycas palms from Japan. Choice plants, 18 inches and up **Each, \$1.00 to \$3.00**

## LIVISTONIA CHINENSIS (Latania Borbonica).

The most popular palm for decorative work, for apartments or conservatories; leaves large, fan-shaped, of a rich, dark green color. Handsome and graceful and quick growers. **Each, \$1.00 to \$2.50**

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**Indivisa**—This variety is used very extensively as a center plant for vases, urns, etc. It stands full exposure to the sun, and its long, narrow, graceful foliage contrasts beautifully with other foliage and flowering plants. Large plants, **Each, 50c; small, each, 35c**

For full list of flowering plants for yard and house culture, see our 108-page Seed Annual.



**Rubber Plant**

interlacing in every conceivable direction. **Nice plants, 20c to 35c each, postpaid; large plants, by express, 35c to 50c.**

**Smilax**.—A very graceful climber, having delicate and dense evergreen foliage. Fine for cutting for bouquets. **Price, 15c each, postpaid.**

## CYPERUS.

**Umbrella Plant (Alternifolia)**.—A splendid house plant of easy culture, resembling a palm and requiring little or no attention. It remains green throughout the year. Keep well watered. **Small plants, postpaid, each, 15c to 25c; large plants, by express, each, 35c to \$1.00.**

### Portland Seed Co.

Gentlemen—Palms came to hand yesterday and I must say that they were very fine and much larger than I expected to get for the money.

Yours truly,

**D. COOKE, Centralia, Wash.**

No collection of plants is complete without Palms. Their bold, majestic, yet graceful foliage lends a grandeur and magnificence that can not be obtained by any other class of plants, and no decoration, whether in the conservatory, hall or sitting-room, is complete without them. All of the varieties offered are of the easiest culture, succeeding under the most ordinary conditions.

## CYCAS REVOLUTA (Sago Palm).

These are magnificent plants of noble and majestic habit, and most impressive. Very valuable for both lawn and house decoration. They have a thick trunk, and their heavy, glossy, deep green, pinnate leaves resist alike the gas, dust and cold to which decorative plants are frequently exposed. Fine plants, large trunks, with well branched leaves at the top.

**Each, \$2.50 to \$4.00**



**Livistonia Chinensis.**

## FICUS.

**Elastica (Rubber Tree)**.—Very large, smooth, leathery leaves, evergreen foliage. Generally esteemed as one of the finest house plants grown. The plants grow quite rapidly, and are very handsome. Choice plants, **Each, 50c to \$1.50**

## FERNS, ETC.

**Asparagus Sprengeri (Emerald Feather)**.—This is undoubtedly one of the handsomest and most valuable evergreen trailing plants for the house and conservatory ever introduced. It is especially valuable for pots, vases, baskets, etc., covering all with its beautiful sprays of lovely green, feathery foliage, which can be cut freely and are very useful for bouquets, wreaths, and all kinds of floral decorations. **Nice plants, 15c to 30c each, postpaid. Large plants, by express, each, 35c to 50c.**

**Asparagus Plumosus (Climbing Lace Fern)**.—A finer and more delicate plant than the Sprengeri, but hardy and easily grown; very satisfactory for window and house culture; and an extremely graceful window climber; bright green, feathery foliage, as fine as the finest silk or lace. The fronds retain their freshness for weeks when cut, and are greatly admired for floral decorations. **Nice plants, 20c to 35c each, postpaid; large plants, by express, each, 25c to 40c.**

**Boston Fern**.—One of the most beautiful and useful of house plants. It is of easy culture and its sword-like fronds, in large specimens, attain a length of three to four feet, produced in a bewildering mass, arching, curving and interlacing in every conceivable direction. **Nice plants, 20c to 35c each, postpaid; large plants, by express, 35c to 50c.**



**Cyperus.**





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